

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

Colonel Ellis, former head of the state patrol but now with a large insurance company at Kansas City, was a Sikeston visitor the latter part of the week. He was here in the interest of his insurance company but visited with the patrol boys at headquarters and paid his respects to The Standard editor. The colonel organized the first patrol force, assisted in the selection of the members, and is vitally interested in the work these men are performing. We are of the same opinion as the Colonel that the next session of the Missouri Legislature should increase the force, furnish their uniforms, pass a law placing all sheriffs, constables and justices of the peace on a salary basis and do away with all petty graft in fees.

One of the greatest helps Mr. Landan will have in his campaign is from his wife who promises to stay in the back ground and says "there will be no daily columns by me."

Not a single Republican has filed as a candidate for office in Iron county, subject to the action of the primary election. Following their usual policy, the bosses will select a hand-picked ticket before the election in November. The supposition is that the rank and file do not know enough to intelligently name a ticket and the overlords must do that for them.—Iron County Register.

Now let's see about some of the things historians hear about when seeking the pedigree or ancestry of some of the "old residents." Writers in the WPA headquarters in Sikeston have learned that some families are very good but have no ancestry back of them, then again other families who have great gobs of ancestry have had some of them confined in order to pay a debt to society. Then others who are floating high know nothing of their ancestors who arrived between sundown and sunrise bearing a new name in order to simplify matters a trifle, some say our first ancestors hung from a limb by the tail and in later days some have hung from a limb by the neck.

A negro cabin in the rear of the Wiley home on North Kingshighway was entirely consumed by fire early Friday morning. This was a pretty good fire after all and if a number of other cabins could go the same way it would be more wholesome.

Another thing that seems foolish to us is the invocation delivered at a political meeting. The same might be said of the House and Senate in Washington and every State in the Union. These political meetings frequently are composed of some of the craziest highbinders to be found in state and nation, but, perhaps they need to be guided from on high.

Well, you see, it was like this: The depression, which (a) began in this country with the stockmarket collapse of 1929, was (b) worldwide in cause and effect, but (c) President Hoover had it licked and the country was on the way upward in 1932 when (d) Roosevelt was elected, effecting such a shock to the people that they lost confidence in the financial structure, causing the (e) banking collapse of 1933, recovery from which (f) came about because of worldwide influences (see b), but the progress of this recovery movement has been (g) severely retarded by h policies of the Roosevelt administration. You are now a graduate of the Hoover School of Verisimilitude.

Don't be worrying about the next generation. That's just what your forefathers did and they are not here to see you enjoy all the luxuries that they never dreamed would be here for you. Our opinion is the next generation will do a better job of living than we of today.—Madison Times.

With all of the forceful figures at the Republican national convention addressers of from one to half a dozen New Deal objectives, it seems the only prospect they have to offer the voting public is that more or less alluring sign new owners of places exhibit: "Reopened Under New Management." But it would be only the old shop and the old goods.

The greatest story that ever broke was told in 400 words—the creation of the world as related in Genesis. Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg address contains only 266 words. The Ten Commandments, the greatest set of laws for human conduct ever written, are set out in 297 words. The crucifixion of Christ is chronicled by Matthew in 1200 words, and the Declaration of Independence, one of the most important documents of history, contains 1321 words. But it will require more pencils and paper and a lot more patience than we command to count the number of words that will assail us from the printed page, over the radio and from the platform before November. The Howell County Gazette commends these examples of terseness to the makers of both the Democratic and Republican platform.—Caruthersville Dem.

Mrs. Harry A. Smith left Saturday night to visit her sister, Mrs. Chas. Prow in Chicago. Mrs. Smith had spent the last two months in Sikeston.

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BONUS BONDS ARE DELIVERED TO 188 LOCAL VETERANS MONDAY

Leading Newsmen to Address Press Group

Prominent newspaperman of Missouri, Illinois, and Arkansas will address members of the Southeast Missouri Press Association at their forty-fourth annual meeting in Jackson Friday. Ralph Gravelly, president of the Ozark Press Association, and publisher of the Bolivar Free Press; Edgar P. Blanton of the Shelby Democrat, president of the Northeast Missouri Press Association; Chester R. Babcock of the Blytheville Ark., Courier-News; Howe V. Morgan of the Sparta, Ill., News-Plainsdealer; and A. A. Steinbeck, managing editor of the Union Republican Tribune and a member of the Central Missouri Press Association, are scheduled to speak at the afternoon session.

Maier Auto Supply Opens on Malone Ave.

The Maier Auto Supply, managed by Paul E. Menz of Cape Girardeau, has been opened in Malone avenue quarters directly west of the Malone theatre. Red and silver, the Goodrich tire colors, have been used in redecorating the rooms and the store's exterior. New fixtures and display cases have been installed. The Maier Auto Supply will sell Goodrich tires, automobile batteries, RCA radios, and accessories. The Silvertown Golden Ply, brought out by Goodrich and offered by the Maier company, is a high-speed tire made especially to prevent blowouts. Its heat resisting construction insures the safest manufacture of a tire known to the industry.

Postoffice To Close Saturday Afternoons Open Later on July 1

Beginning July 1, the Sikeston postoffice will be open Wednesday afternoons and closed on Saturday afternoons and general delivery windows will be open a half hour later in the mornings. Postmaster C. F. Bruton announced yesterday. Mr. Bruton said the change in afternoon closing is being made because of the rapid growth of the postoffice and because other post-offices of the same size as Sikeston's are not open to the public Saturday afternoons. The increase in receipts has also made it necessary to open the delivery and stamp windows at 8 o'clock every morning instead of 7:30, he said.

No Bonus Cash For Veterans In Prison

Jefferson City, June 11.—Some 300 felons of the Missouri penitentiary won't find much freedom with the \$121,000 they are to receive next week as their share of the soldiers' bonus payment. None of the 331 convicts, sharing in the bonus money, will be allowed to cash their bonus bonds unless they can show the state penal board a satisfactory reason for doing it. Prison officials said the order was made to prevent the convicts from squandering their money. The officials said none of it could be spent for luxuries or for attorneys in the hope of gaining a pardon or parole.

Local Golfers Lose to Blytheville 21 to 28

Sikeston golfers lost 21 to 28 when Blytheville, Ark., players came here Sunday for a non-tournament match. W. E. Mahew tied the course record with a 68, two under par, and thirteen Blytheville men and eight of Sikeston shot 80 or better. Sikeston will go to Hillcrest Sunday for another tournament game. The locals' last tournament game will be played at the Cape Girardeau country club June 28, but they will meet Cairo this season and will go to Blytheville for a return match. Scores are printed below, with Blytheville men listed first. Leo Lintzenich 39-39-78 H. Alexander 32-39-71-3 J. F. Lents 37-35-72-2 G. W. Kirk 36-37-73-1 Bill Pollard 39-37-76 Lyman Bowman 37-36-73-2 B. A. Lynch 36-36-72-1 Bill Malone 38-37-75-1 Pete Medley 37-39-76-1 C. Shavee 42-38-80-2 T. C. McClure 42-40-82-1

Registered letters containing adjusted service bonds were distributed Monday to 188 world war veterans who live in the Sikeston district. The letters arrived a day sooner than they were at first expected, and Postmaster C. F. Bruton worked continuously Monday after receiving a message at midnight Sunday notifying him of their arrival. Mr. Bruton said many more letters will be sent here this week.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MISS LEECH

Miss Goldie Leech entertained Friday night in honor of her birthday anniversary. The guests were: Miss Lucille Moll, Miss Marie Hecks, Miss Peggy Freeman, Miss Frances Welch, Miss Mary Neil Carbett of Charleston, Miss Marguerite and Miss Cleo Wright, Ben F. Carroll, Gerald La Font, Vinson Jones, Merrill McKinney, Carl Snyder, Harvey Stacey, John Watts, O. S. Siztes, Jr., and Murray Lynn Farris.

ART CLARK WORKING AT LEON ANCELL'S STATION

W. Art Clark, formerly a mechanic at the Sikeston Motor Company, has accepted a similar position at Leon Ansell's Simpson service garage, 125 West Center street. Mr. Clark's competence as an automobile repairman is known because of the reputation he has gained in specializing at the Sikeston Motor Company on Dodge and Plymouth cars. J. L. Priestley will close the motor company July 1 and return to Charleston. He will maintain a used car lot here and his Charleston agency.

MISS VIVIAN HART TO MARRY WALTER WEEKLEY

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hart of New Madrid have announced the engagement of their daughter, Vivian, to Walter L. Weekley of Sikeston. The Rev. H. S. Holley will perform the ceremony on Friday morning, June 26, at the New Madrid Methodist church, of which he is pastor.

Miss Hart attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau and the Murray, Ky., state teachers' college after graduating from the New Madrid high school. For several years she has taught in the New Madrid county schools and during the last year at the grammar school in New Madrid. She is a sister of Mrs. W. E. Mahew and of Miss Mary Hart, who attended high school here last term.

Mr. Weekley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Weekley. He has been employed by The Sikeston Herald since his graduation from the Sikeston high school.

FRIENDS ARE INVITED TO FINCH-TOLLIVER WEDDING

Friends here have received invitations to the wedding June 30 of Miss Kathryn Mildred Finch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Austin Finch of Cape Girardeau, to Keith Russell Tolliver of Fredericktown.

The marriage will take place at the Centenary Methodist church in Cape Girardeau at 8:30 in the evening.

Miss Finch's engagement was announced recently at a party given at the Cape by Mrs. Emmett Stuber.

Miss Finch attended the University of Missouri and the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau. During the last two years she has taught school at the Cape. Mr. Tolliver attended Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., and the Cape college. He is now coach at the Fredericktown high school.

COLLISION DAMAGES CARS

Automobiles driven by Orville Taylor and E. P. Coleman, Jr., were damaged when they collided on North Kingshighway at 6 o'clock Friday night. The accident happened as Coleman started to turn.

Drummers to Meet at Poplar Bluff

The 1937 annual meeting of the Southeast Missouri Drummers' Association will be held in Poplar Bluff during the Ozarks mardigras festival, delegates decided at a convention in Ironton Saturday. The organization elected James Blackwell of Fredericktown, president; J. A. Wynn of Cape Girardeau, vice-president; J. F. Newman of St. Louis, secretary; S. C. Whyte of St. Louis, treasurer; and Ernest Dunn of Poplar Bluff, warden.

Miss Emma Grojean of St. Louis is expected today (Tuesday) to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg. She will be here a week.

CAPE COUPLE MARRIED

Miss May Vincent and Clarence Morrow of Cape Girardeau were married here Saturday by Judge Joseph W. Myers.

DENVER WRIGHT HUNTS THE WOODS FOR A WOLF

Denver Wright of St. Louis, the big game hunter who infrequently invades Southeast Missouri, has had a time over a black wolf he captured alive last November during a three-weeks' hunt in Cape Girardeau, Perry, Iron, and Crawford counties.

Wright offered the wolf to the St. Louis zoo, but for six months he kept it while a zoo official repeatedly promised to take it. Last week the zoo found it had no place for a black wolf, so Wright shipped it to Charleston and organized a wolf hunt for Sunday.

Wright had planned to release the wolf at 9 o'clock in the morning at Ted Bennett's place on St. James Bayou in the three states timber and to set out two hours later with several packs of dogs and a gallery of admirers.

The wolf refused to cooperate, however. The Standard was told the wolf had been so long with Wright that it couldn't bear to leave him, and it was only after the hunters beat upon the cage and prodded the wolf with sticks that it found the freedom Wright wanted for it. The wolf didn't like it, though, and fifty yards away from the cage it lay down.

Wright wasn't to be discouraged. He set some pretty lousy boys on the wolf and at last the wolf grew tired of the yelling and loped off into the brush. By that time most of the crowd had left, so Wright let loose a couple of dogs and went into the woods almost without company. Nobody in Charleston knew Monday morning whether Wright got the wolf or the wolf got the dogs. They were certain, though, that Wright was safe.

VETERANS, HERE IS HOW TO CASH YOUR BONUS BONDS

Washington, June 14.—Here's how the veteran cashes his bonus bond: Take the bond to the local Postmaster or to any officer authorized to witness requests for payment, such as the executive officers of banks and trust companies.

Prove identification, then sign the request on the back of the bond for payment. A receipt for the bond is given and thereafter a check on the Treasurer of the United States payable to the veteran, follows by mail. In the event of the death or incompetence of the veteran, a legal representative will be recognized. If no legal representative exists, instructions should be obtained from the Division of Loans and Currency in Washington.

WHITE REUNION

Perhaps partly because the weather is so hot, The Standard's reporter is trying to hurry the season. At any rate, he didn't know until late Monday that the day before wasn't June 21 and so had the White reunion held a week early at Bertrand. Certainly it wasn't the fault of Miss Anne Latimer of Charleston, who not only put Sunday, June 21, in the article she sent The Standard last week end but a dateline as well. Readers are asked to put back the future tenses of verbs the reporter removed from Miss Latimer's story on page three.

Hidred Baughman of Olney, Ill., arrived Sunday night to visit her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Goetz.

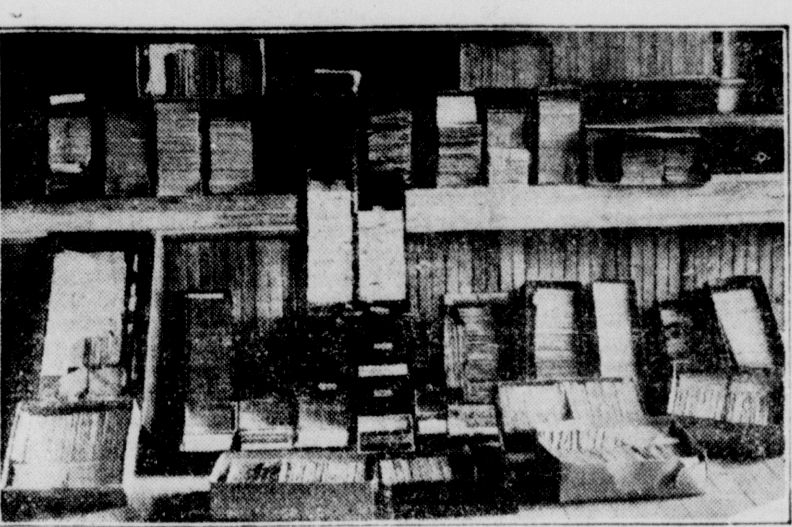
"Doctor" Billy Malone, who recently passed his final examination in Pharmacy began duty Monday morning at the Dennis Drug Store as assistant to Dr. W. E. Dennis.

The Radio club was entertained by Mrs. Lester Rister Monday night.

Mrs. John Stokes and Joe Carter of Mayfield, Ky., and Mrs. Robert Lillard and Arlington, Ky., were guests of Mrs. Anna Winchester, and Mrs. Chas. Matthews III Monday. Mrs. Stokes was accompanied home by her small daughter, Ann, who had been the guest of her grandmother for a few weeks.

Carl Ross, district supervisor of the Rural Rehabilitation administration, and his family moved to Kennett, Mo., last Friday. S. V. Medling, ass't director of 9th area WPA and his family will move here from Caruthersville and occupy the residence on North Ranney that was vacated by Mr. Ross. The property is owned by T. A. Slack.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett went to Doniphan, Saturday and attended a reunion of the Barrett family Sunday. They returned home Monday.



A sucker list which was brought to St. Louis by a promoter who expected to unload a million and a half dollar issue of defunct railroad bonds on citizens of St. Louis.

LOCAL SOFTBALL NEWS

By Leo Smith

SCORES				LEAGUE STANDINGS			
Thursday Night				Class A			
Agoga	18	13	8	75 Million	W	L	
Int. Shoe	7	7	14	Lancaster			2 0
Lancaster	7	8	2	Sikes			1 1
Sikes	5	11	1	Highway			0 1
Friday Night				Class B			
Legion	12	12	6	Agoga			2 0
Kiwanis	6	5	7	L. O. O. F.			1 0
75 Million	12	14	9	Guard			0 1
Highway	10	10	7	Int. Shoe			0 2
				Class C			
Entire stock of "Spring" Hats at one half of the original price.—Elite Hat Shop.				WPA			1 0
				Lions			1 0
				Legion			1 1
				Kiwanis			0 2

NINE PERSONS FINED IN POLICE COURT MONDAY

Judge Brown Jewell fined nine men Monday for minor law infractions. Five paid fines and the remaining four were committed to jail. The cases:

Roscoe Richards, disturbing the peace, \$8, paid.
Charles Page, drunk, fine paid.
Bob Dickerson, fighting and disturbing the peace, \$10, paid.
Robert Lee, fighting and peace disturbance, \$15, in jail. Wilburn Sinclair, drunk, \$10, in jail.
Harvey Presson, drunk, \$8, in jail.
John Manley, negro, drunk, \$8, paid.
Otis Russell, drunk, \$8, in jail.
Ott Newton, drunk, \$8, paid.

Southeast Missouri Paving

Poplar Bluff, Mo., June 14.—Contracts for paving 10 miles additional on Highway 67, the transcontinental route through Missouri and Arkansas, will be let by the Missouri Highway Commission in July, according to H. G. Simpson, member of the commission. The paving will be from a point four miles north of Poplar Bluff to the Wayne County line. The Highway Commission also will contract in July for paving Highway 53 from Quin south to Holcomb. This road will open a new route from Poplar Bluff into Memphis, Tenn.

WARD CASE TO BE DISMISSED

City Attorney Robert Dempster said Monday he will dismiss the case against E. R. Ward of Cape Girardeau, an agent for the Sugar Creek Creamery Company, if a settlement now pending is made. Ward was arrested for bringing merchandise here from out-of-town without first paying the city's \$50 wheel tax.

THE COOKIES ENTERTAIN

Catherine Ann Cook and her Cookies played at a Kiwanis club dinner held in the Marshall hotel dining room Thursday evening. Reports of committee chairmen were heard.

5 Miles Of Pile Dikes To Be Built

Bids for the construction of almost five miles of pile dikes along the Mississippi river near here were scheduled to be opened at the United States engineers' division office in St. Louis Monday and Tuesday. The projects will be completed at a total cost of \$750,000 and will include 5000 lineal feet of dikes at Hurricane Field for protection of Cairo and 2000 lineal feet at Price Landing.

MRS. LOUIS LARGENT'S SISTER WED AT JACKSON

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Muma of Gideon have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Catherine, to Clyde Raspberry of Holcomb.

The Rev. J. C. Montgomery read the service Tuesday at the Methodist church in Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Largent of Sikeston, a brother-in-law and sister of the bride, were attendants. Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for a wedding trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. Raspberry attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau and Central College at Fayette. For five years she has taught school in Gideon. Mr. Raspberry is employed in a general store his father owns at Holcomb, where they will live.

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"Laugh Clown Laugh" Attracts Large Crowd

Using as his subject "Laugh Clown Laugh", Rev. Daniel Rosoff, Jewish evangelist who has been conducting a series of evangelistic services at the First Baptist church the past week, spoke to a packed house Sunday night. The theme of the sermon was based upon the part played by the clown in the opera, "Pagliacca", who, in spite of his heart break and endeavor to make the crowd laugh, the evangelist made the application to so many people today, whose outward appearances so often belie what is actually going on in their hearts. Those who have heard the Rev. Rosoff have recognized his keen insight into the Bible, but he modestly refuses to take all the credit, giving much of the credit to his father, Albert Rosoff, because of his ability to read and interpret to his son the original Bible written in the Hebrew language, and which ministers of today proclaim to be much more beautifully written than any of the English versions. Members of the local Baptist church feel fortunate in being able to persuade these learned men to remain for another week to continue these valuable services. Subjects for the coming week as announced by the evangelist are: Monday night—"Speaking For Oneself"; Tuesday night—"He Who Lives By the Sword Shall Die by the Sword"; Wednesday night—"Gentlemen of the Jury"; Thursday night—"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"; Friday night—"Where Are Your Children?"; There will be no services on Saturday night, but on Sunday morning the subject will be "Why I'm a Baptist", and Sunday evening, the last service, "The Second Coming of Christ." Services begin each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Tall Tales

As told to: ELMO FRANK E. and SCOTT HAGAN WATSON

The Colorado Cinder Beetle WHEN the Santa Fe railroad was built into Colorado, its coming brought rejoicing to the residents of the rich Arkansas River valley. It meant an outlet for their crops and prosperity. But that lasted only a little while. Then disaster swept down upon them.

Every night a large section of the roadbed disappeared. Some thing was taking away the cinder ballast. Train schedules were disrupted and there were endless delays until the damage could be repaired. In several cases freight trains were wrecked or derailed.

Santa Fe officials were frantic, for no one could discover what was carrying away the ballast. Finally a newspaper man, Charley Blakesley of the Kansas City Star, suggested that possibly the Colorado cinder beetle was eating up the ballast and his surmise proved correct.

How to check the ravages of the insects was the next problem. That was solved when it was discovered that the cinders used for ballast were from soft coal. So hard coal cinders were substituted and the cinder beetles broke their jaws trying to eat them. For some time, it is said, passengers on the Santa Fe were kept awake at nights by the cinder beetles screaming with the pain of their broken jaws. So the railroad speeded up the schedules of their passenger trains. They now went so fast that the passengers heard the moaning of the broken-jawed cinder beetles merged into a symphony of sound, like the rustle of wind through pine trees, that quickly lulled them to sleep.

When a harder race of cinder beetles developed with jaws capable of eating hard coal cinders, the Santa Fe was ready for them. They began using crushed rock and since that time have had no trouble with the little pests.

DR. DUNAWAY'S OFFICE TO BE AIR CONDITIONED

Dr. Howard A. Dunaway's patients will be cool while they are being treated this summer, for Dr. Dunaway has ordered a Frigidaire air conditioning machine for his consulting room. The conditioner is scheduled to be installed by Thursday, and after that, the room's temperature will be kept at about 76 degrees. Dr. W. M. Sidwell intends to have one installed later.

Strange Worm Found on Cabbage

A strange looking long, thin white worm was brought to town Saturday. Fay Cleveland, a negro woman living on Theodore Hopper's farm four miles north of here, found it in a cabbage Friday, and the next day, her father took it to Dr. Howard A. Dunaway for examination. The worm was submerged in water and still alive. It was about six inches long, but it did not resemble the larvae ordinarily found on cabbages. It is said to be poisonous.

Highway 25 Boosters to Meet

A meeting of road supporters of Missouri towns served by Highway 25 will be held in the Stoddard county courthouse at Bloomfield at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. H. G. Simpson of Charleston, Southeast Missouri's representative on the state highway commission, has been invited to attend. The session will be the first mass meeting of a Highway 25 association formed recently in towns from Crystal City south to the Arkansas line.

SIREN BUT NO FIRE

People who like to go to fires were disappointed Friday afternoon. The siren was sounded, but the truck didn't leave the garage driveway, where it was parked, and there were flames. The noise started while Dick Tongate and a negro assistant were drying hose and polishing the truck after going to the A. W. Wylie house fire. Little Jack Carson climbed into the driver's seat, and in his play accidentally started the siren.

YOUNG ELLINGTON QUEEN

DIES OF TROPICAL FEVER

Miss Wanda Lou Lewis, a 16-year-old high school senior of Ellington and an entrant in the recent Ozarks mardigras beauty pageant at Poplar Bluff, died of tropical fever Friday in the Brandon hospital at the Bluff. She had been ill two weeks.

Physicians said Miss Lewis may have contracted the disease from a contaminated milk supply shipped from Essex to Dexter, where she visited recently. Miss Lewis was also in Columbia, Poplar Bluff, and Cape Girardeau shortly before she became ill.

During the last year, Miss Lewis was queen and president of the Dexter high school's junior class. She was a daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Tony Lewis of Ellington.

Miss Waneta Converse, who was chosen Miss Ozarks at the Bluff festival, underwent an appendectomy at St. Mary's hospital in Cairo Friday. She is recovering satisfactorily.

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COUNTY OFFICES

We are authorized to announce John Hobbs of Chaffee, for Sheriff of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Wade Anderson, of Commerce for Sheriff of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce William Oliver, of Chaffee, for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Killian Feller, of Illinois, as a candidate for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Lynn A. Ancell as a candidate for the office of assessor of Scott County, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce Arden Ellise, of Sikeston, for Coroner of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Bob Cannon, of Benton, for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce R. L. Harrison, of Benton, for Surveyor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce C. A. Clark, of Sikeston, for Constable of Richland Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

Over in the City Hall a young man who was one of a delegation with a project, admitted that he had always been a Republican but that since Mr. Roosevelt had already done so much for the laboring man, the mechanic and the farmer, that he believed he would rather vote for Mr. Roosevelt than take chances with Mr. Landon on a straddle platform, which showed the young man was mighty level headed.

We have been asked to write more editorial paragraphs which puts us in rather an embarrassing position as some we have already

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written have not been forgotten nor forgiven. The fact is so many people believe some of the paragraphs are directed at them that it becomes necessary for some to down before another eruption takes place.

C. D. Matthews, Jr., and Murray Phillips attended the funeral of Gen. Rice A. Pierce, C. S. A., at Union City, Tenn., Sunday afternoon. The General was laid away in his Confederate uniform with all his medals and sword. But five Confederate Soldiers are alive in Obion County and they were present wearing the grey, one of them had to be carried by two men. One by one they answer the roll call.

C. A. Clark, of Sikeston, has announced for Constable of Richland Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary, and promises if nominated and elected that he will show no favoritism in carrying out the duties of the office.

The U. S. S. Melville, a Navy ship normally basing at San Diego, California, recently reported that on a cruise they passed a large number of snakes swimming about at sea, miles off-shore. These were sea-snakes, and are extremely poisonous. Doctor Dittmeyer, of the New York Zoo, states that their venom is about five times as poisonous as that of a rattlesnake.

SUCKER MONEY—
AND THE BONUS

By Harry W. Riehl
General Manager, Better Business Bureau of St. Louis, Inc.

It was P. T. Barnum who made famous the word "sucker" throughout the American nation. Barnum's idea was that the public wanted to be tricked into paying him money for something which was not as represented.

Whether he was right or wrong is of no concern to us but the fact remains that the slick-tongued gentry who operate the hundred and one crooked schemes with which we come in contact have certainly used the "sucker" idea to build up a highly profitable business for themselves.

Whenever a washing machine salesman or an automobile salesman knows of someone who is in the market for an automobile and has the money to buy it, he calls that person a "prospect." You will notice that the main qualification of the prospect in the commercial world is that he must have money to spend. So it is with the racketeer and commercial swindler.

Whenever he finds anybody who has the money to lose, he is always quick to devise some tricky scheme to get the money away from him. The "prospect" of legitimate business is the "sucker" or "illy" to the racketeer.

Creating Sucker Lists—A Regular Business

There is a regular established traffic in "sucker lists." If a man ever took a flyer in any kind of speculative enterprise, he is branded as a "sucker," or "illy," as they are sometimes termed. Whenever the company in which he invested went broke, the promoters gathered in the stockholders lists, and combining them with others of similar nature, created a valuable list of persons who, by virtue of their investment in the previous speculative venture, qualified themselves as one who had the crap shooting instinct of trying to get "something for nothing."

It is possible for these racketeers to go to certain places to get selected "sucker lists" of so many hundred names at so much per name.

A 110,000 Sucker List

Over 110,000 Missouri veterans will receive their bonuses about the middle of this month. This fact has been widely heralded to every crook in the country. What a magnificent sucker list—already organized and qualified. Certainly these men have the money—all the promoter has to do is to drag out one of his clever schemes, polish it up a bit, put on a few new jimeracks and exchange it for the veterans' bonus money.

Evidences of what is about to happen have already reached the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis. We have in our possession the advertised circular of a New York firm which offers to sell anybody who wants to buy a select list of Missouri bonus veterans at 5c per head. It is true, of course, that the veterans will be urged to

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spend this money through the legitimate channels of trade. They will be asked to buy furniture, automobiles, repair houses, clothing, etc. This is the real reason for the issuing of bonuses at this time. What a sad commentary upon American intelligence it would be to have this vast sum even partially dissipated by turning it over to that vast army of swindlers and racketeers who are bent upon reaping a rich harvest from this "natural" sucker list.

It is nobody's business but the veterans' what he does with his bonus. But a fellow hates to feel that he is the victim of a skin game.

Fact Information—Free
For twenty years the Better Business Bureau has been furnishing the public, free of charge, with information about all sorts of fraudulent schemes. At this time it seems important that a warning be issued to all veterans to take cognizant of the fact that they will be the recipient of all sorts of fantastic offers, advertising claims and get-rich-quick schemes.

One of the outstanding schemes which will undoubtedly be used is what is known as the "partnership scheme." If a man goes into partnership with another, either one of the partners can take all the money and walk off with it, and the other has little or no recourse. It should be remembered, therefore, that extreme caution should be taken before putting money on a partnership basis, in filling stations, selling ventures and the like.

Be careful of fake "scenery" which is often used by the partnership racketeer to mislead the prospective partner into the belief that the business is a highly profitable venture.

Real estate deals are already becoming extremely active in anticipation of the bonus money. Anybody who offers you a "free lot" should be carefully investigated. Better Business Bureau have investigated dozens of free lot schemes for the last two decades and we have yet to find one lot that was given free to anybody. You pay plenty for the so-called free lot when you are compelled to buy another at an exorbitantly high price.

One of the most despicable schemes how being revived is the sale of cemetery lots on a speculative basis. Stories of how valuable cemetery lots become in old established cemeteries is the bait usually used. Memorial cemetery propositions, the promoters of which usually use the patriotic appeal, result almost invariably in disappointment to the investor. A recent study of this subject by the National Better Business Bureau discloses that in practically every memorial cemetery promotion which has come under their observation, the "investors" suffered substantial losses in the venture.

All sorts of oil stocks, mining scheme and stock and bond ventures should be carefully investigated before investing. Go to reputable bank or investment house or consult some reliable business man before turning over your money. If the scheme is reputable, a thorough investigation cannot injure it. If it is illegitimate only a thorough investigation can prevent you from making an unwise investment.

Frogs—Silver Foxes—Mushroom—Rabbits

Many veterans will be approached to invest in frog raising, rabbit raising, silver fox raising and mushroom raising projects. Better Business Bureaus have voluminous statistical data on these subjects and all the facts should be obtained before investing. This also applies to investments in citrus, walnut, pecan groves, and other "farming by proxy" propositions.

One of the most lucrative fields for the commercial swindler is the fellow who sells "territorial rights." Advertising of jobs which require a substantial investment or the placing of a substantial cash bond should be carefully investigated. Hundreds of these schemes have come under the observation of the Better Business Bureau throughout the country and in a number of instances the promoter had a criminal record and there were no jobs to be had. Plans to buy vending machines, sets of collection letters, and the purchase of substantial quantities of merchandise, as a consideration for the granting of exclusive territory rights, often results in the discovery that he has bought merchandise which is unsalable.

The "advance fee" racket is closely related to the cash bond scheme. This is often employed by fake employment agencies who charge an advance fee promising to get someone a job. Most states have laws covering employment agencies and it is well to consult with the proper state department before turning over any money to these people. Offerings to give people jobs driving trucks, attending parking lots, etc., are often conditioned upon the applicant putting up enough money to buy uniforms, etc. Often these schemes are designed simply to get money from applicants who sadly discovered after wait of a week or ten days that the promoter of such schemes has left for parts unknown with their deposits.

"Fake automobile 'clubs'" and "leagues" are flourishing at this time and will consider the bonus veterans easy money for the sale of their contracts. These individuals sell a contract for service by using sales language and literature so designed as to convey the impression that the contract includes a complete coverage of automobile property damage and personal liability. As a matter of fact, these contracts are not insurance at all. The person solicited issued by the fact that the rate quoted is substantially lower than that charged by the legitimate automobile insurance company. Many of these victims wake up too late, after a serious accident, to the fact that they have no insurance coverage at all.

Recently the Insurance Department of Missouri issued a list of some 75 unlicensed insurance companies in this state. It is always important that you investigate any insurance proposition which offers life, health or accident coverage at abnormally low rates. This is particularly true if the company is located out of the state. All reputable insurance companies who sell insurance in this state are licensed in Missouri and each of their salesmen are required to carry a salesman's certificate which indicates that they are the authorized representatives of a reputable insurance company licensed in Missouri. Ask the insurance salesman for his license card. If he doesn't have it, be careful. You may be gypped.

Suit clubs, which offer a chance to pay in one or two dollars a week, with the enticement of a weekly "drawing" which might make you the lucky recipient of a valuable suit after you have made only two or three weekly payments, is an old scheme which is being revived at this time. Suit clubs have left a long trail of duped victims.

Of all those investigated by the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis, not one has been legitimately conducted nor given its members their money's worth.

Magazine solicitors, working their way through college; agents offering the enlargement of favorite photographs on "free advertising offers"; unorderly merchandising; Irish lace peddlers; oriental rug peddlers; linoleum peddlers and peddlers of "hot" furs, rugs, woollens, panama hats and cigars are just a few of the many hundreds of schemes which comprise the stock and trade of these commercial swindlers.

Investigate Before You Invest

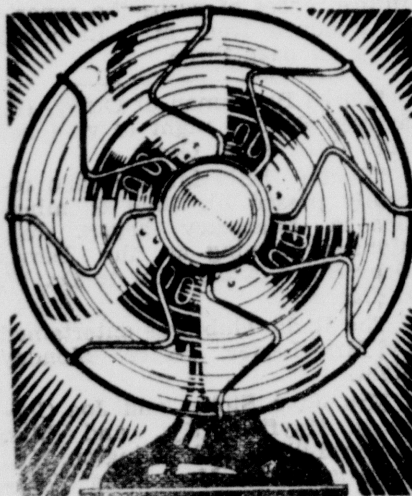
Everybody agrees it is foolish to turn over your money to a stranger without a thorough investigation. Unfortunately, in the experience of the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis, this realization comes only after the money has been lost and usually with little hope for restoration. The wise thing to do is to spend plenty of time investigating before you invest. Don't fall for the "rush act" of the promoter. If a thing is as good as the promoter represents it will wait the couple of days necessary to secure all of the facts from some disinterested source. If the thing was so good that it couldn't wait the promoter would probably keep it himself without going around offering it to strangers.

The Better Business Bureau of St. Louis is affiliated with more than fifty similar organizations throughout the country. It is a nonprofit civic organization which renders service to the public without charge or obligation. It will gladly answer any inquiries on any schemes with which the bonus veteran may come in contact.

TO JITTERS

There must be great rejoicing in Dog-Heaven today, for loving, mischievous little Jitters has joined that innumerable throng. He will make for himself a place in their hearts, as he did in all of ours, with his waggish pranks, his merry ways, and his roguish eyes, peering from behind his shaggy hair. He will be sad for awhile, as we are sad, because he is to be separated from those whom he loved, but his inherent good nature will insure him to the separation, and he will again become the loving little fellow we knew, working his way irresistibly into the affections of all who knew him. And our grief, with time, will be assuaged, and we can think of him as gnawing peacefully on a celestial bone, forever finished with whatever earthy strife besets our canine friends.—The Sidwells.

Micawber's device to David Copperfield still holds good. Paraphrasing it—if your income is thirty dollars a month and you spend \$29.95, the result is peace and happiness; if your income is

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thirty dollars and you spend \$30.05, the result is unhappiness, misery and trouble.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
UNDER ALIAS SPECIAL
EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of an Alias Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 18th day of November, 1935, in favor of The Little River Drainage District, a public corporation and against The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, Defendant, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934, together with interest, penalties, Attorney's Fee and costs of suit, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said property was ordered sold to satisfy the judgment and lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said Defendant, The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, of, in and to the following described property, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, Acres 38.00, Description SW NW, Section 13, Township 29, Range 12, Amount \$434.41.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendant of, in and to the hereinabove described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy the lien and the judgment of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of June, 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 6th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott

County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th day of March, 1936, in favor of the Little River Drainage District, a public corporation, Plaintiff and against Leah Reef, Douglas H. ones Trustee for George McGahey and George McGahey, Defendants, for delinquent drainage taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934, for the sum of \$3,969.39, together with interest and costs and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendants, Leah Reef, Douglas H. Jones Trustee for George McGahey and George McGahey, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NW SW, Sec. 13, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$426.92

Tract No. 2, Acres 38.50, Description SW SW, Sec. 13, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$402.91.

Tract No. 3, Acres 35.00, Description SW SW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$352.20.

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description NW NW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$426.92.

Tract No. 5, Acres 38.00, Description SE NW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$398.65.

Tract No. 6, Acres 38.50, Description NE NW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$404.52.

Tract No. 7, Acres 40.00, Description NW NW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25.

Tract No. 8, Acres 38.50, Description NE SW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$404.52.

Tract No. 9, Acres 40.00, Description NW SW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25.

Tract No. 10, Acres 40.00, Description SW SW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25.

Total tax, interest and penalties, \$3,969.39.

And Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendants of, in and to the hereinabove described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

ROAD WORK
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals, addressed to The State Highway Commission of Missouri, Jefferson City, Missouri, and endorsed "Proposal for constructing (or improving) Route 60, Project WPMH-5B, Scott County," will be received by the Commission, acting as agent for the United States Government, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the 25th day of June 1936, at the office of the Commission in the State Highway Building at Jefferson City, Missouri, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes: Grading, and widening the existing pavement with cement-bound macadam, together with any incidental work, on Malone Avenue (Route 60) in the City of Sikeston, the total length of the improvement being 0.630 mile.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract, and to the use of Domestic Materials.

The minimum wage paid to all labor employed on this contract shall be as follows: Skilled Labor 60c per hour; Intermediate Labor 40c per hour; Unskilled Labor 30c per hour.

Plans and specifications may be inspected in the offices of the Commission at Jefferson City, or the Division Engineer at Sikeston, Missouri. Complete instructions to bidders and proposal blanks may be obtained at the Jefferson City office.

Proposals must be on forms provided.

The right is reserved by the State Highway Commission to reject any or all bids.

T. H. CUTLER,
Chief Engineer.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 5th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, di-



OPEN AIR ARENA

Opposite City Hall—Sikeston

Tuesday, June 16

At 8:15 P. M.

WILD BILL RUSH

Nashville—Weight 196

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MORRIS BLOOMFIELD

A California Jew—Wt. 189

OLE OLSEN

Minnesota—Wt. 186

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JIMMY KNOX

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PHONE 632

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rected, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th day of March, 1936, in favor of The Little River Drainage District, a Public Corporation, Plaintiff, and against Nelson Bradshaw, Defendant for Delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934, for the sum of Four Hundred Fourteen Dollars and ninety Cents (\$414.90) together with interest, Penalties and costs and costs of suit, and which said judgment was declared to be a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Nelson Bradshaw, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 19, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$270.59.

Tract No. 2, Acres 20.00, Description E 1/2 SE NE, Sec. 19, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$144.31.

Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$414.90.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given That I will on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East front door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the said defendant of, in and to the hereinafter described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with the costs of suit.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 5th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th day of March, 1936, in favor of The Little River Drainage District, a Public Corporation, and against Clement C. Williams, Defendant, for Delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$3,126.04 together with interest and costs and costs of suit, and which said judgment was declared to be a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Clement C. Williams, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description NW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 3, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 5, Acres 38.50, Description NE NW, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$400.80.

Tract No. 6, Acres 38.50, Description NW NW, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$400.80.

Tract No. 7, Acres 38.50, Description SW NW, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$400.80.

Tract No. 8, Acres 38.50, Description SE NW, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$400.80.

Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$3,126.04.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East front door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the above named defendant, Clement C. Williams of, in and to the above described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated June 5th, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th of March, 1936, in favor of Little River Drainage District, a Public Corporation, Plaintiff, and against Wm. J. Slinkard, R. E. Bailey, Trustee for the Receiver of First National Bank of Chaffee and R. L. Bradley, Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$711.99 together with interest and costs, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendants, Wm. J. Slinkard, R. E. Bailey, Trustee for the Receiver of First National Bank of Chaffee and R. L. Bradley, Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$711.99 together with interest and costs, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

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Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Clement C. Williams, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description NW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 3, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$3,126.04.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East front door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the above named defendant, Clement C. Williams of, in and to the above described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 5th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th day of March, 1936, in favor of The Little River Drainage District, a Public Corporation, and against Clement C. Williams, Defendant, for Delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$3,126.04 together with interest and costs and costs of suit, and which said judgment was declared to be a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Clement C. Williams, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description NW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 3, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$3,126.04.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East front door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the above named defendant, Clement C. Williams of, in and to the above described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, of, in and to the following described real estate lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$327.74.

Total Taxes, Interest and Penalties, \$711.99.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday the 10th of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of said Circuit Court, at the East Front Door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendants, of in and to the hereinabove described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated June 5th, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th of March, 1936, in favor of Little River Drainage District, a Public Corporation, Plaintiff, and against Wm. J. Slinkard, R. E. Bailey, Trustee for the Receiver of First National Bank of Chaffee and R. L. Bradley, Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$711.99 together with interest and costs, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendants, Wm. J. Slinkard, R. E. Bailey, Trustee for the Receiver of First National Bank of Chaffee and R. L. Bradley, Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$711.99 together with interest and costs, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

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Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Clement C. Williams, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

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Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$3,126.04.

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TANNER DYE AT CAMP

Captain Tanner C. Dye will spend this week at a national guard officers' field training encampment at Camp Clark near Nevada. The camp opened Monday and will close Saturday. The regular encampment for Missouri National Guardsmen will be held early in August this year.

20,000 Roman Coins Unearthed

Dorchester, England, June 12.—More than 20,000 Roman coins, probably the largest collection of ancient money ever discovered in Britain, were unearthed here by workmen and taken to Dorset Museum. Experts say they probably were buried during a period of civil war in Roman England.

Plant Potatoes About June 20

Potatoes for winter storage should be planted late enough that blooming will not take place during the hot, dry days of July and August, yet early enough to mature before frost, according to County Agent F. B. Veatch, Jr. Potatoes planted about June 20 will mature by frost and will keep in storage much better than those planted early in the spring. The best varieties to plant for winter storage are Peach Blow, McCormick, and Green Mountain.

129 File Income Tax Returns

A dispatch from Washington said that 129 Sikeston residents filed individual income tax returns for 1934. A total of 487 filed returns in Cape Girardeau; 226 in Poplar Bluff; 116 in Caruthersville; 62 in Charleston; 49 in Jackson; 84 in Kennett; 45 in Dexter; 104 in DeSoto; 97 in Bonne Terre; 87 in Farmington; 68 in Perryville; and 67 in Ste. Genevieve.

WHITE FAMILY HOLDS REUNION AT BERTRAND

Charleston, June 15.—On Sunday, at the Methodist church in Bertrand, a reunion of the descendants of pioneer citizens of that community was held.

Bertrand has always been noted as a town whose citizens have been promoters of a good church and school, and today they have an unusually fine brick church for such a small town. The church was organized in the year 1870, but the first building was dedicated in the year 1882. The program for the reunion began at 10:30 a. m., with Chairman F. Pitt White of Bertrand in charge. The speakers included the Rev. Alfred Smith of Nashville, Tenn., president and manager of the of the Methodist Publishing Company of the Southern Methodist church, who delivered the sermon; John Gaty of Bertrand, who delivered the address of welcome; and the Rev. Standerfer Crow of Duncan, Oklahoma, who gave the response. Others who gave brief talks on their memories of early days were Ed Deal of Charleston, William H. Danforth of St. Louis, the Rev. William Humphries of Cape Girardeau, the Rev. Clarence Burton of Boone Terre, Mo., and R. C. White of St. Louis, assistant general manager of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

The musical program was directed by Moray Gaty of Bertrand, and the program was rendered by Mrs. J. C. Brown (contralto) of Atlanta, Ga., (a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt White); Mrs. E. H. Orear (soprano), Mrs. J. L. Priestner (contralto), both of Sikeston, Moray Gaty (tenor) of Bertrand, and Moffat Latimer (barytone) of Charleston. Mrs. A. J. Rushing of Bertrand presided at the organ. Mrs. Moffat Latimer of Charleston rendered the offertory organ solo. Each one taking part on the program formerly lived in the community with the exception of Mrs. Orear and Mr. Latimer.

Several hundred people attended, including about forty members of the White family.

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Willie Carter, 86 years of age, black and a crippled called at the Standard office Friday afternoon to find out just who were the presidential candidates to be voted for in the November election. He stated that he voted for Mr. Roosevelt last time and was undecided who to vote for the next time. He acknowledged that Mr. Roosevelt had fed him and his folks during the trying times following the Hoover administration and didn't know what would happen if Mr. Landon was elected. We informed Willie that the Republicans were so opposed to the spend-thrift ways of Mr. Roosevelt that if Mr. Landon was elected, he would likely be put back in slavery until he could work out the amount of relief help that he had received. And there you are.

The bunch of hogs among the half dozen cabins on Dr. Water's lot in Ward one give off an odor in that part of town that is anything but satisfying. This is unhealthy, draws flies and is against the peace and dignity of the ordinance. But what are a few nogs in town between friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Coats announce the birth of a seven and a half pound daughter early Friday morning.

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CROP CONDITIONS HIGHER IN SCOTT THAN IN 1935

The June 1 condition of hay, oats, winter wheat, and pastures in Scott county are far above those of last year and generally higher than the state average, a report just issued by E. A. Logan, senior agricultural statistician for Missouri, shows.

The condition of winter wheat in the county for June has been reported at 70 per cent normal, compared with 55 per cent in 1935 and 61 per cent for the 1929-33 average. The June condition of oats is 68 per cent, compared with 52 per cent for June, 1935. Tame hay is 71 per cent, compared with 52 per cent for the same time last year. Pastures are 79 per cent against 82 for June, 1935, and the condition of apples is given as 44 per cent for June 1, 1936.

The June 1, 1936, winter wheat condition for Mississippi county is 87, compared with 63 for 1935 and 69 for the five-year average. The condition of oats is reported to be 75; tame hay, 78, compared with 75; and pastures, 67 compared with 77. New Madrid county has a winter wheat condition for June 1 of 87, compared to 68 last year and 79 during the 1929-33 period. Its oats condition is 73 against 55 for 1935; tame hay, 79 compared with 62; and pastures, 73 compared with 56 for last year. The condition of apples is 50 per cent.

Columbia, Mo., June 13.—According to reports received from farmers by the division of crop and livestock estimates, winter wheat on June 1, 1936, shows a condition of 69 per cent, compared with the May 1, 1936, condition of 72 per cent and the June 1, 1935, condition of 82 per cent. This indicates a yield of 13 bushels from 1,884,000 harvested acres, a total production of 24,492,000 bushels. Lowest conditions are reported from the east central, central, and south central districts, with the best conditions from the northern third of the state. In some northern counties the condition is in the nineties, and in several central districts, as low as 43 per cent.

Oats show a condition of 57 per cent, compared to 84 a year ago. The northwestern and north central districts appear to be in the best shape, with very low conditions reported across the east central, central, and south central districts.

Pastures are 72 per cent, compared to 64 as of May 1, 1936, with an increase reported from the north and west but a sharp drop in the south central, east central, and southeast and about stationary in the central district. Rain is badly needed in many sections of the state, particularly in the Ozarks.

Hay condition of 63 is a decline from 69 a month ago and 79 a year ago, with the sharpest drops occurring in the east central, central, and south central districts, an improvement in the northwest, and relatively less important changes over the balance of the state. Alfalfa shows the best condition of the hay crops, particularly in the northwest, where the acreage is the heaviest. Clover, timothy, and parrie hay follow the conditions as shown by tame hay.

Rye condition is 77 per cent the same as of May 1, 1935, and is more uniform throughout the state than the balance of the crops. Barley, with a condition of 63 per cent, shows about this condition

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in the districts containing the greatest acreage.

Fruit reflects very unfavorable growing condition through the winter and spring, with peaches, pears, and cherries practically a failure and a very low condition of 25 per cent in apples and a condition somewhat below this figure in the districts of heaviest acreage.

Milk production per cow in herd of 11.8 pounds as of June 1 is an increase from 11.2 in May but a decline from a year ago, and the percentage of cows milked also shows a decline from last June.

The percentage of laying hens in flocks, 51 per cent, is about the same as the five-year average, 1929-33, as of June 1 and slightly higher than any subsequent year. The number of chickens per farm, however, is below the five-year average and below any subsequent year as of this date.

Labor employed on farms during the month shows a 7 per cent increase over May 1, 1936, with generally an adequate labor supply, although other projects have absorbed some farm labor at prices difficult for farmers to pay.

The month of May has been one of the driest on record, with an average precipitation from twenty-five stations of only 1.92 inches with an average for May from 1900 to 1929 of 4.59 inches and only four years in the entire period from 1900 reporting less rainfall during May. Temperatures from the same stations show an average for the past month of 69.2 as compared with the 1900-29 average for May of 64.1 degrees.

PROGRAM FOR DEMOCRATIC RALLY AT BLUFF OUTLINED

A state-wide rally of young Democrats at Poplar Bluff July 11 will open with a barbecue or plate lunch at the fairgrounds, party leaders have decided.

A prominent Missouri Democrat will speak early in the afternoon, and afterward, persons attending will participate in an automobile parade through the bluff streets. Governor (Happy) Chandler will speak at an evening session in the courthouse square, and later, dances will be held at the Casino Club and at Big Duggie's Inn.

Major Lloyd C. Stark of Louisiana, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, and Governor Guy B. Park will be present.

MISS KATHRYN ELBERT WEDS ADVANCE TEACHER

Charleston, June 12.—A very quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday at 1 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick in Charleston, when their daughter, Miss Kathryn Elbert, was united in marriage to Clarence Harper Edwards of Troy, Mo. Beautiful magnolias, larkspur, and daisies were used in decoration of an improvised altar, arranged in the living room of the home.

The Rev. C. P. Thogmorton, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, using the ring ceremony. Only close relatives witnessed the ceremony.

For the occasion the bride wore an afternoon gown of white lace, with which she wore pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Following the ceremony the bride and groom departed for St. Louis, where they spent a few days before going to Troy, for the summer.

The bride is a member of a very prominent family. She was reared in Charleston and graduated from the Charleston public school. The past two years she attended the Southeast Missouri state teachers' college at Cape Girardeau, and in May she received a sixty-hour certificate.

The bridegroom was reared in Troy, and graduated from the Troy high school. He later attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau four years, and in May, 1935, received his degree. The past year he was a member of the faculty of public school of Advance, and will teach there again this coming fall and winter.

DEMOCRATIC SWEEP PREDICTED BY STARK

Jefferson City, Mo., July 11.—Maj. Lloyd C. Stark, Democrat gubernatorial candidate, predicted tonight Missouri would go overwhelmingly Democratic at the fall general election whether Gov. Alf M. Landon or someone else was nominated as the Republican presidential candidate.

Completing a swing through the northwestern part of the state, Stark stopped at his campaign headquarters here tonight to say Landon, should he be nominated at Cleveland, would have little influence on the Missouri political picture.

"There's a feeling Landon is satisfactory to the reactionary big command of the G. O. P. or else his candidacy would have been stopped long ago," the gubernatorial candidate declared.

Then Stark added he had found his party better organized for the coming campaign "than ever before."

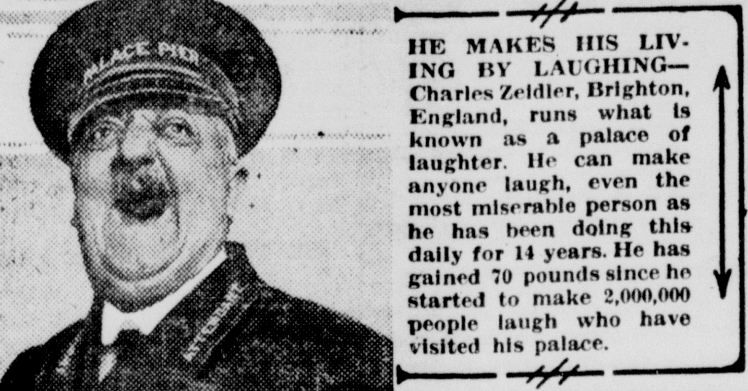
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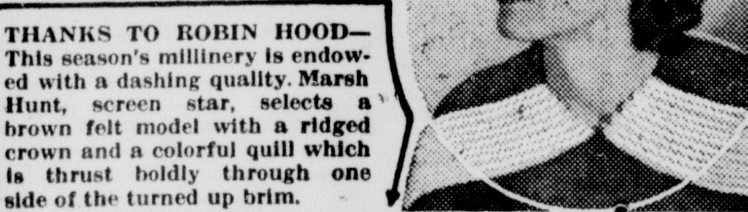
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Four winners in the bathing beauty contest held at the Martin County Striped Bass Carnival. They are all telling stories to the four striped bass, each weighing 9 and 10 pounds, which won the striped bass prizes.



THANKS TO ROBIN HOOD—This season's millinery is endowed with a dash of quality. Marsh Hunt, screen star, selects a brown felt model with a ridged crown and a colorful quill which is thrust boldly through one side of the turned up brim.

TALLIPOOSA CLUB FINISHES

The 4-H club at Tallipoosa finished its work with an achievement day program, at which time Miss Anne Sillers, home demonstration agent, presented achievement pins to Selma Cole, president, Audrey Lumley, vice-president, Kathleen Jaynes, secretary, Vivian Love, song leader, Gertrude Osburn, reporter, Ethel Beck, Dorothy Abshier, Mildred Lorse, Della Blair, Ethel Atchley, and Eva Mae Barrett.

These girls have done an outstanding piece of work. They learned to identify fifteen trees native to Missouri and made note books, mounting leaves, and twigs and drawings of the seeds in books and listing uses of wood from these trees. Miss Pauline Melburn was leader. The name of the club was Forest Friends.

MISS GENEVA JONES TO WED CHARLES PINNELL

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Geneva Jones to Charles Pinnell, Jr.

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school. He now works as an engineer at the city light plant.

FHA INSURED 239 NOTES IN COUNTY THRU APRIL

The federal housing administration has insured 239 modernization notes in Scott county through April 30, 1936, for a total of \$85,914, according to a report made public today by Robert K. Ryland, state director of the national emergency council. These loans, according to Ryland, are made for the most part by firms in the community which in turn are insured against loss by the FHA. The modernization loans are made under Title 1 of the national housing act for the repair, improvement, or modernization of real property.

Under Title 2 of the act, the FHA accepted 21 mortgages for insurance in Scott county through March 31, for a total of \$52,240, according to Ryland. Under this title, the FHA is authorized to insure first mortgage loans made by approved lending institutions.

In the state as a whole, according to the report, 30,519 modernization notes have been insured by FHA through April 30 for a total of \$9,253,012. Mortgages accepted for insurance in the state number 2,472 for a total of \$10,621,227.

Richard S. Hawes, Jr., of St. Louis is the state director of FHA, and district offices are located in both St. Louis and Kansas City.

THE SECRET MARRIAGE OF LOUELLA BOARDMAN TO JOHN MCMULLIN REVEALED

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Louella Boardman, a daughter of Mrs. Lula Guess, to John McMullin, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McMullin.

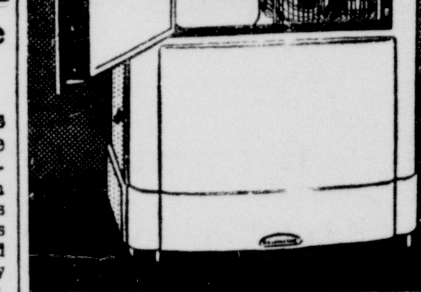
The ceremony was performed by Justice W. C. Eilbracht at Waterloo, Ill., on Saturday, February 22, and kept secret until last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cutrell, a brother-in-law and sister of the bride, and Miss Lavina Boardman, also sister of the bride, were attendants. Mr. and Mrs. McMullin returned to Sikeston the following Monday after spending Sunday in St. Louis. They are now at home at 521 Kathleen avenue.

IN THE NEW KELVINATOR refrigerator Values have been made Visible

The wedding will take place Sunday, July 5, at the home of Miss Jones' sister, Mrs. Edgar Rodeck, in Johnson City, Ill. Miss Marguerite Bryant will be Miss Jones' attendant, and Cleonard Coats will serve as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony, the bride and bridegroom will leave for a week's wedding trip. They will be at home her at the Sutterfield apartments.

Miss Jones is a graduate of the Johnson City high school. She has been employed by F. M. Woolworth Company since she came here a year and a half ago. Mr. Pinnell, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pinnell, Sr., attended the University of California after graduating from the Sikeston high



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Mrs. McMullin attended school here and is now employed at the International shoe factory. Mr. McMullin attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau for a year after his graduation from the Sikeston high school. He is associated with the division ten offices of the state highway department.

BIG SNAKE SWALLOWED A DOZEN HEN EGGS

Mrs. Lon Graves of the Cornwall, Madison county community, discovered a large blacksnake while gathering eggs and killed it. She noticed the eggs were short of the usual number and Mr. Graves cut the snake open for curiosity and found that it had swallowed ten or twelve of the eggs. The snake was six feet long.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all persons who helped me Friday morning when my home and negro cabin caught fire. I am especially grateful to neighbors for their kindnesses and assistance and to members of the fire department for their quick response and for their competent work.

Mrs. A. W. Wylie

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

3 BUILDINGS DAMAGED AFTER STOVE EXPLOSION

A negro cabin behind the A. W. Wylie residence, 604 North Kingshighway, was ruined by fire and the Wylie garage and home were damaged when a stove exploded in the cabin at 6:30 Friday morning.

The cabin and all articles in it were destroyed before firemen could extinguish the flames, but they were able to check flames that burned the north end of the garage and the east side of the house. The three buildings are situated close together.

Mrs. A. W. Wylie was sleeping alone in the second floor of the house at the time the fire started and did not awaken until after firemen had arrived. The M. S. Tomerlines, who occupy an apartment on the first floor, were not at home.

No one was injured in the fire, but Mrs. Wylie had a narrow escape. She left the house in a bathrobe and was unable to return to her room for clothing. Flames ate through the back porch and the walls and burned one table. Other articles were water damaged, and asbestos shingles on the roof were scorched. The loss on the house was covered by insurance.

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The GRAPHIC BIBLE

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Israel Is No More

WHEN Jeroboam II died, the era of order and prosperity came to a swift end. The empire crumbled away, and the Hebrews were left with only their strip of hill country along the Jordan. Jeroboam's son, Zechariah, reigned but six months before he was killed. His assassin, a man named Shallum, reigned only one month before he, too, was murdered. The new usurper, Menahem, managed to hold on to the throne several years, but his reign was marked by continuous strife.

A devouring enemy, Assyria, was striding westward from Mesopotamia, and Israel lay helpless in its path. Assyria had been threatening to swallow up Palestine for some time past, but not until now was the act accomplished. A particularly able and energetic king, Tiglath-Pileser IV, came to the throne of Assyria in 754 B. C., and seven years later he marched over and invaded Israel. Menahem was in no position to offer assistance and hastened to pay the Assyrian an enormous tribute. Tiglath-Pileser then withdrew, but four years later he was back again.

A new king had arisen in Israel, a militant man named Pekah, who dared to attempt to throw off the Assyrian yoke. Allying himself with Rezin, the king of Damascus, he called on Judah to join in the revolt. But Ahaz, the king of Judah, refused, whereupon Pekah and Rezin invaded his realm.

Ahaz, thoroughly terrified, called to Tiglath-Pileser for help, and the latter responded with alacrity. The Assyrian came storming down on Israel, annexed all the east Jordan region and all of what was later called Galilee, and carried off tens of thousands of Israelites into slavery. Damascus, the other rebel, he crushed completely, absorbing the whole kingdom. Of course Judah was spared, but only at the price of vassalage.

In Israel there was an immediate uprising against the king who had brought such trouble to his land. Pekah was swiftly put out of the way, and a new king, Hoshea, was seated on the throne. The favor of Assyria was purchased at a price of an annual tribute, and there was peace for the moment.

But as soon as Tiglath-Pileser of Assyria died, Hoshea decided to rebel. Supported by Egypt, which was exceedingly anxious to create a buffer state between itself and Assyria, Hoshea refused to pay the annual tribute. Forthwith the new king of Assyria, Sennacherib IV, swept down on Israel and took Hoshea prisoner. Not content with this, however, Sennacherib continued on and laid siege to Samaria. He was determined to crush the kingdom thoroughly and thus put an end forever to all trouble from that quarter.

But Samaria was not easily captured. Thanks to Omri's military astuteness in choosing its site, the city was able to hold out for three long years. Sennacherib died before it fell, and it was left for his son, Sargon II, to complete the conquest. Finally, late in the year 722 B. C., Samaria capitulated, and the kingdom of Israel came to an end. The best element in the defeated population was deported to prevent the possibility of insurrection.

The wealthiest and most powerful of the Israelites were taken captive by Sargon and settled in northern Mesopotamia and Media. Only the humblest of the Israelites, the peasants and slaves, were left at home, for these showed little promise of ever attempting rebellion. To help them till the valleys and populate the market towns of Israel, foreign colonists from northern Syria and Babylonia were brought in by Sargon. And thus the kingdom of Israel came to an end.

Assyria Triumphant

ACCORDING to tradition the kingdom of Israel consisted of 10 of the original tribes, and with the great deportation in 722 B. C. the legend of the Lost Ten Tribes began. It was imagined that the Israelites marched out of their land in one great body and then lost themselves in a far romantic land. Many an explorer coming across some "strange people in Central America, or Japan, or Abyssinia, has rushed forth to declare that the

Lost Ten Tribes have been found again.

But no explorer really found them, and no explorer ever will. Those tribes did not wander off together to any distant land, but simply dwindled out of existence right where they were set down by the Assyrians. Many of the Israelites may have escaped from the exile and joined the other two tribes of Hebrews, but quite clearly most of them simply merged with the races dwelling in Assyria and Media, and there faded out of history's picture.

A similar fate met all the other small nations of the ancient Orient—all, that is, except Judah. Sargon did not go on from Samaria and seek to destroy Jerusalem too. Though he wiped out the northern kingdom, he spared Judah, for it had paid tribute faithfully. Thus the story of the Chosen People now becomes the story of its two southern tribes—really of its one tribe, Judah, for Simeon had by now largely merged with the Edomites in the desert. That is why from here on we no longer refer to the Chosen People as Israelites, or Hebrews, but as Judeans, or Jews.

The destruction of Israel was a warning to Judah, and for a while the little kingdom accepted Assyrian domination without a murmur. But such docility could not be maintained for long. Judah was too far from the seat of Assyrian power, and too near to Egypt, to be able to keep out of trouble forever. It lay like a tiny grain between two great millstones, and no matter which way it rolled it could not keep from being crushed.

Egypt agitated without rest among the little nations at the western end of the Assyrian empire. And Jerusalem, being the chief stronghold in that region, was necessarily the focus of the agitation. Thither came the conspirators from Phoenicia, Moab, Edom, and Philistia to hearken to the envoys from Egypt, and then the orders for the insurrection were sent abroad.

In the first uprising, however, Judah still refrained from overt action. Not until 705, when the great Sargon was assassinated and the Assyrian Empire seemed about to crumble, did Judah show signs of rebellion. The new emperor, Sennacherib, was too busy crushing his enemies in the East to attend to Judah immediately.

But four years later, after the East had been thoroughly subdued, Sennacherib gathered his army and thundered over the West. He began with the Phoenician cities and then swiftly swept southward, pillaging and burning as he went. There was terror throughout the region, and Edom and Moab hurriedly sent their submission. Judah, however, made no move, trusting to Egypt to stay Sennacherib's march. But when at last Egypt did send an army against the Assyrians, it was ignominiously defeated. And then real panic broke loose in Judah. Sennacherib had routed the Egyptians at Eltekeh, on the southern border of Philistia, but instead of pushing on toward the Nile, he doubled in his tracks and had begun to march toward Jerusalem. One Judean city after another went up in flames as Sennacherib's army pressed on into the hills. With feverish haste Jerusalem was put into state of defense, but when the Assyrians actually appeared before the walls no resistance was offered. The king emptied his treasury, stripped his palace, even took off the gold from the doors and pillars in the temple, and sent it all to Sennacherib as a peace offering. And in return Sennacherib spared Jerusalem and allowed the poor bankrupt Jewish king to retain his crown.

Use of Yeast

Yeast is such an essential constituent of bread that it is difficult to realize that it is a comparative innovation—that man ate wheat loaves for thousands of generations before anybody thought about it. The use of yeast was one of the trade secrets of Paris bakers about 250 years ago, the bread chemists explain. There was a big scandal when the secret leaked out. The bakers were accused of poisoning the public. The College of Physicians of Paris went on record opposing yeast-leavened bread on the ground that it was not wholesome.

Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bradley of Desloge returned to their home Sunday evening after visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts. Mrs. Bradley was a week end guest here and Mr. Bradley came Sunday morning.

Entire stock of "Spring" Hats at one half of the original price. Elite Hat Shop. Dr. Dace, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday. Glasses fitted. Mr. W. W. Kingsbury and her sons, Jere of Caruthersville and William, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sikes. At the conclusion of her visit here, Mrs. Kingsbury, who is the mother of Mrs. Sikes, will go to Caruthersville to reside with her son, Jere Kingsbury.

Mrs. Richard Lewis and sons, Dickie and Bobbie returned to their home in Jackson Saturday afternoon after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clymer and family. Mrs. Clymer and her daughters, Miss Margaret and Miss Hita accompanied them and returned that evening.

Mrs. Ella Hutton returned to Charleston Sunday after a visit with Mrs. H. L. Smith here. Mrs. Charles Williams and two sons of St. Louis were guests of here sister, Mrs. R. H. Wagner last week. Friday, Mrs. Wagner and her children accompanied their guests to Lutesville to visit other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Schmermund, of St. Louis were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Clark. Janet Ann Clark accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Ellise and granddaughter, Patsy, were in Nashville, Tenn., from Thursday until Saturday, while Mr. Ellise attended the annual National Conference of School superintendents in session there.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Elkins and son Bill, of Oklahoma City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Mabee Friday, and visited over the week end in Bertrand with Mrs. Elkins relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Elkins are former residents of Sikeston.

Phil Waldman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Waldman, left Thursday of last week for Victoria, Mo., to spend the summer with his uncle, Dr. A. Luh.

M. C. Cunningham of Desloge was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dover. He was accompanied home Sunday evening by Mrs. Cunningham who had spent the week here.

Mrs. Herman Mattingly entertained three tables of guests at bridge Thursday afternoon in her home on North Ranney. Mrs. Ryland Short and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Jackson were out-of-town guests.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Indianapolis and Caruthers Anthony of Anderson, Ind., arrived Monday to visit their brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony. They were accompanied by Miss Margaret Grey Anthony who had visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Anthony, in Anderson, the past week.

Mrs. Chas. H. French and her son, Charles, went to Jefferson City, Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith. They accompanied C. L. Blanton, Jr., who will return to Sikeston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Henry have as their guests, Mrs. Henry's mother, Mrs. E. W. Plater and Mrs. Byron Spear and daughter of Carbondale, Ill. They arrived Friday.

Mrs. Arden Ellise will entertain her bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Ranney.

Mrs. W. C. Bowman, Mrs. Eula Bowman Shanks, Mrs. Lee Bowman and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh were guests of Mrs. Robert Drum in Advance, Friday.

Joe Allen left Saturday morning for St. Joseph, Mo., to spend a few days before going to Camp Cheley, Estes Park, Colo., where he will spend the summer.

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Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Jr., and children, Mary Eugenia and Charles, and Mrs. N. C. Watkins are spending this week in Troy, Mo.

Mrs. Eula Bowman Shanks departed Sunday for her home in Colorado Springs, Colo., after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman and other relatives here. She was accompanied by Miss Frances Bowman and Miss Esther Jane Greer who expect to spend three or four weeks in Colorado Springs. Sam Bowman drove them as far as St. Louis, and returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sam Bowman, Sam Bowman, Jr., and his son Sam III, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fenimore in Bertrand Sunday.

Ms. Jack Bowman and sons went to Perry, Mo., Saturday to visit her parents for a month. Mr. Bowman accompanied his family and returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Morrison and her two children, Betty Joe and Billy, of Kansas City arrived in Sikeston Friday. Mrs. Morrison returned to her home Sunday, accompanied by her father-in-law, Harvey Morrison, who will spend a month there. Betty Joe and Billy will spend the summer with their grandmothers, Mrs. Harvey Morrison on Moore avenue, and Mrs. Wm. Haman at Buckeye.

Harold Little of Jonesboro, Ark. was the guest of Miss Anna Susan Hughes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard and son Paul, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reese, Miss Freda Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese, Mrs. J. R. Andrews and daughter Betty Joe, of Houston, Texas, composed a group of people from Sikeston who enjoyed a picnic dinner at Legion Park in Dexter, Sunday. They returned home that evening by Jackson and Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Swan McDonald, Jr., and her two children returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives in Moberly, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Self and their son left Monday morning for their home in Flint, Mich., after visiting a week here with Mr. Self's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self.

Presbyterian Ladies To Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hutters, Monday night at 8 o'clock. A good attendance will be appreciated.

Reunion Of Self Family Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self were hosts at a family reunion Sunday at their home on North Kings-highway. Their guests were a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Self and their son, John Herschell, of Flint, Mich., a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Powell of Luxora, Ark., and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean McClurkin of Blytheville, Ark.

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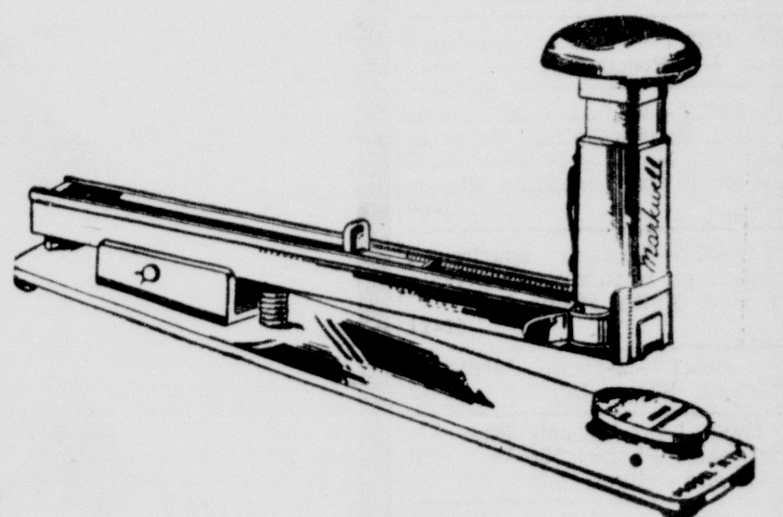
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In Sikeston

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

From Last Week

Mrs. Francis Keller of Harrisonville, Mo., spend from Tuesday until Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Clyston Knuckles.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fletcher entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner Sunday, complimentary to their grandson, Dicky Thompson, who then celebrated his 5th birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children, Mrs. Owen Johnson and daughter, Lois, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and daughter.

Relatives from Caruthersville and Steele visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and family, Sunday.

Zelma Kem spent Sunday afternoon with Margaret and Mildred Crosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bohannon and family of Sikeston spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moll of Sikeston spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Parson.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Dalton and family of Libbourn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. Miriam Baker and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Decker and family.

Mary Bohannon of Pharis Ridge spent Monday night and Tuesday with Zelma Kem.

Willie Gruin and Mr. and Mrs. Ragon Harris were Canolou visitors Sunday morning.

Laren and Evelyn Porter spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Eleanor Knuckles and daughter and Hersell Knuckles.

Louise and Edsel Kem spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bohannon and children.

Among those who shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Heary Newman, Mrs. M. L. Viar and children, Mrs. Owen Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children, Mrs. John Crosso and daughters, G. L. Bohannon, Louis Kem and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Benford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Troxell and children, Cecil Link, Mrs. Geo. Hemling, Mrs. Richard Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crosso and daughters, Jessie Baker and Louis Decker.



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FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment, 104 W. North, Phone 102. 11-75

FOR RENT—Dwelling, unfurnished or partially furnished; also apartment, furnished or unfurnished. See T. A. Slack. 11-75

FOR SALE—Hotpoint electric stove Simmons bed and utility cabinet. Mrs. L. E. Ordelheide, 217 Lake St. 21-75

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FOR SALE—2 shoe shops in Sikeston, American machinery. See R. M. Feltner. 21-75

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During the present calendar year eighteen naval vessels now under construction will be launched including the nine destroyers, 1500 and 1850 tons each, two aircraft carriers of 19,900 tons each, three 10,000 ton light cruisers armed with six-inch guns and one heavy 10,000 ton cruiser carrying eight-inch guns and three submarines of 1,330 tons each.

GRAND MATRON OF O. E. S. TO MAKE OFFICIAL VISIT

Mrs. Ida D. Daly of St. Louis, worthy grand matron of the Missouri Order of the Eastern Star, will be here Thursday, June 25, for an official visit to chapters of the fifth O. E. S. district. She will be accompanied by William A. Maxwell of St. Joseph, worthy grand patron of the lodge, and by other grand officers.

Mrs. Daly and members of her party will be honor guests at a banquet to be held in the Marshall hotel dining room at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. A meeting will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. O. L. Spencer, of Benton is district deputy grand matron of the O. E. S. and Mrs. Cleo Cooper of Chaffee is grand warden. The fifth district is composed of fourteen chapters in Scott and Mississippi counties and in parts

MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

Franklin Becomes The Seat of Howard County

With its atmosphere of southern hospitality, fine old farms, culture and wealth, no county in Missouri looks back upon a more distinguished history than Howard county. For here in the heart of the Boone's Lick country, to which it gave the name, were laid the proud beginnings of Central Missouri history.

"Old Mother Howard," as the county has been called because of the fact that from it have been carved all or part of 40 to 43 counties in Missouri and Iowa, was created in 1816, was the seventh Missouri county to be organized, and was named for Benjamin Howard, first governor of Missouri Territory. The county was reduced to its present size by an act of 1820.

In 1807 the sons of Daniel Boone made salt at Boone's Lick in the southern part of the county near the river and reported the fine country that existed in central Missouri. In 1810 a number of pioneers of Stoddard and New Madrid counties.

er families led by Benjamin Cooper invaded the Indian country and settled near the "Licks."

During the War of 1812, Howard county pioneers, taking refuge in forts, wrote one of the bravest chapters in early Missouri history. After the war the tide of immigration from Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, and the Carolinas almost exceeded belief.

Franklin, laid out in 1816 opposite present-day Boonville, by December, 1819, boasted a population of more than 1,000. Here, on June 16, 1816, was located the county seat. In 1819 was established the Missouri Intelligencer, Missouri's first newspaper west of St. Louis and, in 1821, occurred Becknell's famous Santa Fe expedition. As the location of the U. S. land office, the outfitting point of the Santa Fe trade, and as a center of culture and wealth, Franklin enjoys a special niche in early Missouri history.

At Glasgow, the successor to Chariton, fortunes were accumulated in the 40s, 50s, and 60s, and after the Civil War from agriculture, fine livestock, mules the first mules known to Missouri were a product of the Santa Fe

trade), tobacco, exporting, importing, and steamboating. Families of culture and wealth founded churches and supported schools. Prichett School Institute, Morrison Observatory, and Lewis College became centers of culture in Missouri.

Fayette, which was made the county seat in 1823, was a political power and educational center. Here Howard High School, known over the State, during the fifties became the largest school in Missouri outside St. Louis. Failure of the county to secure the State University in 1839 only redoubled the efforts for the school's advancement until today it has become Central College.

Mount Pleasant Baptist church, organized in 1812 near Franklin, was the mother church of that denomination in Central Missouri. Much of the history of the Methodist, Christian, and Presbyterian churches also centers in Howard.

In the Mormon, Florida, and Mexican wars the county was outstanding for its men and leaders who included Gen. John B. Clark. During the Civil war, Howard county rallied to the cause of the South. Though no large battles were fought, the most important being the engagement at Glasgow on October 15, 1864, in no county in Missouri were the issues more vitally or dramatically felt—its close to 6,000 blacks places it second in slave population. Prior to the war, Fayette, as the so-called "Cradle" of the powerful "Central

Clique," was the Democratic stronghold of Central Missouri which defeated Thomas H. Benton.

In the 80s and 90s, after the failure of the county to realize its expectations from its \$750,000 subscription to railroads, came a decline in the county's commercial and political power. In 1878, construction was commenced on the splendid steel bridge of the C. & A. railroad at Glasgow—an engineering triumph and the first all-steel truss bridge in the world. In 1922, the county voted the bonds for the present "free" bridge at Glasgow.

Though stripped of its former glory as a commercial and political center, Howard County today maintains high rank as an educational and agricultural county. Livestock raising is a leading industry and outstanding crops are tobacco, corn, wheat and hay.

Great men, schools, homes, and fine livestock have been said to be the county's leading products. Among the first, few whose names are linked with the history of the county are Governors Reynolds, Jackson, and Miller, Admiral Uriel Sebree, Judges Abiel Leonard, J. H. Birch, Mathias McGirk, George Tompkins, W. B. Napton, and J. F. Ryland, and C. W. and H. S. Prichett, W. T. Davis, and W. T. Lucky, teachers and scholars.

Farmington Man Appointed Receiver For Eight Banks

Jefferson City, June 11.—Lyman

A. Matthews of Farmington was appointed liquidator of eight closed Missouri banks, including the Sturdivant Bank at Cape Girardeau, by the State Finance Department today to succeed John A. Ferguson of Cape Girardeau.

Matthews was appointed receiver of the banks after Ferguson resigned to accept an appointment as a member of the State Public Service Commission.

Other closed banks to be liquidated by Matthews are the Bank of Caruthersville at Caruthersville,

Bloomfield Bank & Trust Co. of Bloomfield, the Farmers' Bank of Essex, the Citizens' State Bank of Fuxico, the Williamsville State Bank of Williamsville and the Bank of Cooter at Cooter.

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FATHER'S DAY, you know, is Sunday the 21st. If you want to please Dad on this day of days, we suggest you give him the kind of shirt he likes best... an Arrow.

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THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

Colonel Ellis, former head of the state patrol but now with a large insurance company at Kansas City, was a Sikeston visitor the latter part of the week. He was here in the interest of his insurance company but visited with the patrol boys at headquarters and paid his respects to The Standard editor. The colonel organized the first patrol force, assisted in the selection of the members, and is vitally interested in the work these men are performing. We are of the same opinion as the Colonel that the next session of the Missouri Legislature should increase the force, furnish them uniforms, pass a law placing all sheriffs, constables and justices of the peace on a salary basis and do away with all petty graft in fees.

One of the greatest helps Mr. Landan will have in his campaign is from his wife who promises to stay in the back ground and says "there will be no daily columns by me."

Not a single Republican has filed as a candidate for office in Iron county, subject to the action of the primary election. Following their usual policy, the bosses will select a hand-picked ticket before the election in November. The supposition is that the rank and file do not know enough to intelligently name a ticket and the overlords must do that for them.—Iron County Register.

Now let's see about some of the things historians hear about when seeking the pedigree or ancestry of some of the "old residents." Writers in the WPA headquarters in Sikeston have learned that some families are very good but have no ancestry back of them, then again other families who have great gobs of ancestry have had some of them confined in order to pay a debt to society. Then others who are floating high know nothing of their ancestors who arrived here in the early days and sun-up having a new name. In order to simplify matters a trifle, some say our first ancestors hung from a limb by the tail and in later days some have hung from a limb by the neck.

A negro cabin in the near of the Wiley home on North Kingshighway was entirely consumed by fire early Friday morning. This was a pretty good fire after all and if a number of other cabins could go the same way it would be more wholesome.

Another thing that seems foolish to us is the invocation delivered at a political meeting. The same might be said of the House and Senate in Washington and every State in the Union. These political meetings frequently are composed of some of the craziest highbinders to be found in state and nation, but, perhaps they need to be guided from on high.

Well, you see, it was like this: The depression, which (a) began in this country with the stockmarket collapse of 1929, was (b) worldwide in cause and effect, but (c) President Hoover had it licked and the country was on the way upward in 1932 when (d) Roosevelt was elected, effecting such a shock to the people that they lost confidence in the financial structure, causing the (e) banking collapse of 1933, recovery from which (f) came about because of worldwide influences (see b), but the progress of this recovery movement has been (g) severely retarded by the policies of the Roosevelt administration. You are now a graduate of the Hoover School of Verisimilitude.

Don't be worrying about the next generation. That's just what your forefathers did and they are not here to see you enjoy all the luxuries that they never dreamed would be here for you. Our opinion is the next generation will do a better job of living than we of today.—Madison Times.

With all of the forceful figures at the Republican national convention admirers of from one to half a dozen New Deal objectives, it seems the only prospect they have to offer the voting public is that more or less alluring sign new owners of places exhibit: "Reopened Under New Management." But it would be only the old shop and the old goods.

The greatest story that ever broke was told in 400 words—the creation of the world as related in Genesis. Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg address contains only 266 words. The Ten Commandments, the greatest set of laws for human conduct ever written, are set out in 297 words. The crucifixion of Christ is chronicled by Matthew in 1200 words, and the Declaration of Independence, one of the most important documents of history, contains 1321 words. But it will require more pencils and paper and a lot more patience than we command to count the number of words that will assail us from the printed page, over the radio and from the platform before November. The Howell County Gazette commends these examples of terseness to the makers of both the Democratic and Republican platform.—Caruthersville Dem.

Mrs. Harry A. Smith left Saturday night to visit her sister, Mrs. Chas. Frow in Chicago. Mrs. Smith had spent the last two months in Sikeston.

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BONUS BONDS ARE DELIVERED TO 188 LOCAL VETERANS MONDAY

Leading Newsmen to Address Press Group

Prominent newspaperman of Missouri, Illinois, and Arkansas will address members of the Southeast Missouri Press Association at their forty-fourth annual meeting in Jackson Friday.

Ralph Gravelly, president of the Ozark Press Association and publisher of the Bolivar Free Press; Edgar F. Blanton of the Shelby Democrat, president of the Northeast Missouri Press Association; Chester R. Babcock of the Blytheville, Ark., Courier-News; Howe V. Morgan of the Sparta, Ill., News-Plainsdealer; and A. A. Steinbeck, managing editor of the Union Republican Tribune and a member of the Central Missouri Press Association, are scheduled to speak at the afternoon session.

The morning and part of the afternoon will be devoted to talks by members of the Southeast Missouri Press Association; and the evening to a banquet, at which Dean Frank L. Martin of the University of Missouri school of journalism, Dr. W. W. Parker, president of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau, and Hugh Stephens of Jefferson City, president of the Missouri Citizens' Road Association will speak. C. L. Blanton, Jr., president of the organization, will preside.

Maier Auto Supply Opens on Malone Ave.

The Maier Auto Supply, managed by Paul E. Menz of Cape Girardeau, has been opened in the Malone avenue quarters directly west of the Malone theatre.

Red and silver, the Goodrich tire colors, have been used in redecorating the rooms and the store's exterior. New fixtures and display cases have been installed.

The Maier Auto Supply will sell Goodrich tires, automobile batteries, RCA radios, and accessories. The Silvertown Golden Ply, brought out by Goodrich and offered by the Maier company, is a high-speed tire made especially to prevent blowouts. Its heat resisting construction insures the safest manufacture of a tire known to the industry.

Howard Sexton has been employed by Mr. Menz as his assistant.

Postoffice To Close Saturday Afternoons Open Later on July 1

Beginning July 1, the Sikeston postoffice will be open Wednesday afternoons and closed on Saturday afternoons and general delivery windows will be open a half hour later in the mornings, Postmaster C. F. Bruton announced yesterday.

Mr. Bruton said the change in afternoon closing is being made because of the rapid growth of the postoffice and because other postoffices of the same size as Sikeston's are not open to the public Saturday afternoons. The increase in receipts has also made it necessary to open the delivery and stamp windows at 8 o'clock every morning instead of 7:30, he said.

No Bonus Cash For Veterans In Prison

Jefferson City, June 11.—Some 300 felons of the Missouri penitentiary won't find much freedom with the \$121,000 they are to receive next week as their share of the soldiers' bonus payment.

None of the 331 convicts, sharing in the bonus money, will be allowed to cash their bonus bonds unless they can show the state penal board a satisfactory reason for doing it.

Prison officials said the order was made to prevent the convicts from squandering their money. The officials said none of it could be spent for luxuries or for attorneys in the hope of gaining a pardon or parole.

Local Golfers Lose to Blytheville 21 to 28

Sikeston golfers lost 21 to 28 when Blytheville, Ark., players came here Sunday for a non-tournament match.

W. E. Mahew tied the course record with a 68, two under par, and thirteen Blytheville men and eight of Sikeston shot 80 or better.

Sikeston will go to Hillcrest Sunday for another tournament game. The locals' last tournament game will be played at the Cape Girardeau country club June 28, but they will meet Cairo this season and will go to Blytheville for a return match.

Scores are printed below, with Blytheville men listed first.

Leo Lintzenich	39-39-78	B. Morse, Jr.	37-34-71
H. Alexander	32-39-71	W. E. Mahew	36-32-68-3
J. F. Lents	37-35-72	James Guard	43-40-83-2
G. W. Kirk	36-37-73	H. Trowbridge	44-40-84
Bill Pollard	39-37-76	H. Brown	38-37-75-3
Lyman Bowman	37-36-73-2	Lee Bowman	41-45-86
B. A. Lynch	36-36-72-1	C. M. Buck	39-39-78-3
Bill Malone	36-36-72-1	Barney Forrester	41-43-84
Bob Kirshner	38-37-75-1	R. Farr	38-40-78-3
Pete Medley	42-39-80-1	L. Stallcup	44-40-84
C. Shave	42-38-80-2	Bill Keith	37-38-75-3
T. C. McClure	42-40-82-1	Jess Roland	36-39-75-3

Paul Taubert 40-46-88
G. Everett 38-40-78
H. Henry 47-45-92
U. Bronson 38-41-79-3
Lyle Malone 42-43-85
B. Bannister 46-44-90
D. L. Fisher 39-41-80-3
J. Bell 43-46-89-1
V. Rost 44-45-89-1
Cecil Bronson 41-42-83-1
C. W. Limbaugh 43-38-81-2

CAPE COUPLE MARRIED
Miss May Vincent and Clarence Morrow of Cape Girardeau were married here Saturday by Judge Joseph W. Myers.

Registered letters containing adjusted service bonds were distributed Monday to 188 world war veterans who live in the Sikeston district.

The letters arrived a day sooner than they were at first expected, and Postmaster C. F. Bruton worked continuously Monday after receiving a message at midnight Sunday notifying him of their arrival. Mr. Bruton said many more letters will be sent here this week.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MISS LEECH

Miss Goldie Leech entertained Friday night in honor of her birthday anniversary. The guests were: Miss Lucille Moll, Miss Marie Hecks, Miss Peggy Freeman, Miss Frances Welch, Miss Mary Neil Carbett of Charleston, Miss Margaret and Miss Cleo Wright, Ben F. Carroll, Gerald La Font, Vinson Jones, Merrill McKinney, Carl Snyder, Harvey Stacey, John Watts, O. S. Sitzes, Jr., and Murray Lynn Fariss.

ART CLARK WORKING AT AT LEON ANCELL'S STATION

W. Art Clark, formerly a mechanic at the Sikeston Motor Company, has accepted a similar position at Leon Ancell's Simpson service garage, 125 West Center street.

Mr. Clark's competence as an automobile repairman is known because of the reputation he has gained in specializing at the Sikeston Motor Company on Dodge and Plymouth cars.

J. L. Priester will close the motor company July 1 and return to Charleston. He will maintain a used car lot here and his Charleston agency.

MISS VIVIAN HART TO MARRY WALTER WEEKLEY

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hart of New Madrid have announced the engagement of their daughter, Vivian, to Walter L. Weekley of Sikeston. The Rev. H. S. Holley will perform the ceremony on Friday morning, June 26, at the New Madrid Methodist church, of which he is pastor.

Miss Hart attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau and the Murray, Ky., state teachers' college after graduating from the New Madrid high school. For several years she has taught in the New Madrid county schools and during the last year at the grammar school in New Madrid. She is a sister of Mrs. W. E. Mahew and of Miss Mary Hart, who attended high school here last term.

Mr. Weekley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Weekley. He has been employed by The Sikeston Herald since his graduation from the Sikeston high school.

FRIENDS ARE INVITED TO FINCH-TOLLIVER WEDDING

Friends here have received invitations to the wedding June 30 of Miss Kathryn Mildred Finch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Austin Finch of Cape Girardeau, to Keith Russell Tolliver of Fredericktown.

The marriage will take place at the Centenary Methodist church in Cape Girardeau at 8:30 in the evening.

Miss Finch's engagement was announced recently at a party given at the Cape by Mrs. Emmett Stuber.

Miss Finch attended the University of Missouri and the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau. During the last two years she has taught school at the Cape. Mr. Tolliver attended Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., and the Cape College. He is now teaching at the Fredericktown high school.

COLLISION DAMAGES CARS

Automobiles driven by Orville Taylor and E. P. Coleman, Jr., were damaged when they collided on North Kingshighway at 8 o'clock Friday night. The accident happened as Coleman started to turn.

Drummers to Meet at Poplar Bluff

The 1937 annual meeting of the Southeast Missouri Drummers' Association will be held in Poplar Bluff during the Ozarks mardis Gras festival, delegates decided at a convention in Ironton Saturday.

The organization elected James Blackwell of Fredericktown, president; J. A. Wynn of Cape Girardeau, vice-president; J. F. Newman of St. Louis, secretary; S. C. Whyte of St. Louis, treasurer; and Ernest Dunn of Poplar Bluff, warden.

Miss Emma Grojean of St. Louis is expected today (Tuesday) to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg. She will be here a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg and children, Betty and Jean, and Miss Mary Grojean spent Sunday in Dexter.

DENVER WRIGHT HUNTS THE WOODS FOR A WOLF

Denver Wright of St. Louis, the big game hunter who infrequently invades Southeast Missouri, has had a time over a black wolf he captured alive last November during a three-weeks' hunt in Cape Girardeau, Perry, Iron, and Crawford counties.

Wright offered the wolf to the St. Louis zoo, but for six months he kept it while a zoo official repeatedly promised to take it. Last week, the zoo found it had no place for a black wolf, so Wright shipped it to Charleston and organized a wolf hunt for Sunday.

Wright had planned to release the wolf at 9 o'clock in the morning at Ted Bennett's place on St. James Bayou in the three states timber and to set out two hours later with several packs of dogs and a gallery of admirers.

The wolf refused to cooperate, however. The Standard was told the wolf had been so long with Wright that it couldn't bear to leave him, and it was only after the huntsmen beat upon the cage and prodded the wolf with sticks that it found the freedom Wright wanted for it. The wolf didn't like it, though, and fifty yards away from the cage it lay down.

Wright wasn't to be discouraged. He set some pretty little boys on the wolf and at last the wolf grew tired of the yelling and loped off into the brush. By that time most of the crowd had left, so Wright let loose a couple of dogs and went into the woods almost without company. Nobody in Charleston knew Monday morning whether Wright got the wolf or the wolf got the dogs. They were certain, though, that Wright was safe.

VETERANS, HERE IS HOW TO CASH YOUR BONUS BONDS

Washington, June 14.—Here's how the veteran cashes his bonus bond:

Take the bond to the local Postmaster or to any officer authorized to witness requests for payment, such as the executive officers of banks and trust companies.

Prove identification, then sign the request on the back of the bond for payment. A receipt for the bond is given and thereafter a check on the Treasurer of the United States, payable to the veteran, follows by mail.

In the event of the death or incompetence of the veteran, a legal representative will be recognized. If no legal representative exists, instructions should be obtained from the Division of Loans and Currency in Washington.

WHITE REUNION

Perhaps partly because the weather is so hot, The Standard's reporter is trying to hurry the season. At any rate, he didn't know until late Monday that the day before wasn't June 21 and so had the White reunion held a week early at Bertrand. Certainly it wasn't the fault of Miss Anne Latimer of Charleston, who not only put Sunday, June 21, in the article she sent The Standard last week end but a dateline as well. Readers are asked to put back the future tenses of verbs the reporter removed from Miss Latimer's story on page three.

Hidred Baughman of Olney, Ill., arrived Sunday night to visit her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Goetz.

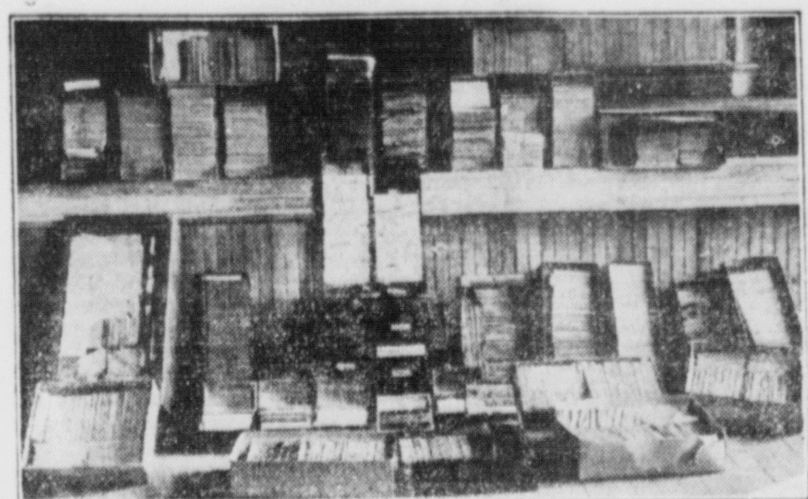
"Doctor" Billy Malone, who recently passed his final examination in Pharmacy began duty Monday morning at the Derris Drug Store as assistant to Dr. W. E. Derris.

The Radio club was entertained by Mrs. Lester Rister Monday night.

Mrs. John Stokes and Joe Carter of Mayfield, Ky., and Mrs. Robert Lillard and Arlington, Ky., were guests of Mrs. Anna Winchester, and Mrs. Chas. Matthews III Monday. Mrs. Stokes was accompanied home by her small daughter, Ann, who had been the guest of her grandmother for a few weeks.

Carl Ross, district supervisor of the Rural Rehabilitation administration, and his family moved to Kennett, Mo., last Friday. S. V. Medling, ass't director of 9th area WPA and his family will move here from Caruthersville and occupy the residence on North Ranney that was vacated by Mr. Ross. The property is owned by T. A. Slack.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett went to Doniphan, Saturday and attended a reunion of the Barrett family Sunday. They returned home Monday.



A sucker list which was brought to St. Louis by a promoter who expected to unload a million and a half dollar issue of defunct railroad bonds on citizens of St. Louis.

LOCAL SOFTBALL NEWS

By Leo Smith

SCORES				LEAGUE STANDINGS			
Thursday Night				Class A			
	R	H	E		W	L	
Agoga	18	13	8	75 Million	1	1	
Int. Shoe	7	7	14	Lancaster	2	0	
Lancaster	7	8	2	Sikes	1	1	
Sikes	5	11	1	Highway	0	1	
Friday Night				Class B			
Legion	12	12	6	Agoga	2	0	
Kiwanis	6	5	7	I. O. O. F.	1	0	
75 Million	12	14	9	Guard	0	1	
Highway	10	10	7	Int. Shoe	0	2	

Entire stock of "Spring" Hats at one half of the original price.—Elite Hat Shop.

NINE PERSONS FINED IN POLICE COURT MONDAY

Judge Brown Jewell fined nine men Monday for minor law infractions. Five paid fines and the remaining four were committed to jail. The cases:

Roscoe Richards, disturbing the peace, \$8, paid.

Charles Page, drunk, fine paid.

Bob Dickerson, fighting and disturbing the peace, \$10, paid.

Robert Lee, fighting and peace disturbance, \$15, in jail. Wilburn Sinclair, drunk, \$10, in jail.

Harvey Presson, drunk, \$8, in jail.

John Manley, negro, drunk, \$8, paid.

Otis Russell, drunk, \$8, in jail.

Ott Newton, drunk, \$8, paid.

Southeast Missouri Paving

Poplar Bluff, Mo., June 14.—Contracts for paving 10 miles additional on Highway 67, the transcontinental route through Missouri and Arkansas, will be let by the Missouri Highway Commission in July, according to H. G. Simpson, member of the commission. The paving will be from a point four miles north of Poplar Bluff to the Wayne County line. The Highway Commission also will contract in July for paving Highway 53 from Quin south to Holcomb. This road will open a new route from Poplar Bluff into Memphis, Tenn.

WARD CASE TO BE DISMISSED

City Attorney Robert Dempster said Monday he will dismiss the case against E. R. Ward of Cape Girardeau, an agent for the Sugar Creek Creamery Company, if a settlement now pending is made. Ward was arrested for bringing merchandise here from out-of-town without first paying the city's \$50 wheel tax.

"Laugh Clown Laugh" Attracts Large Crowd

Using as his subject "Laugh Clown Laugh", Rev. Daniel Rosoff, Jewish evangelist who has been conducting a series of evangelistic services at the First Baptist church the past week, spoke to a packed house Sunday night. The theme of the sermon was based upon the part played by the clown in the opera, "Pagliacca", who, in spite of his heart break must hide his own feelings and endeavor to make the crowd laugh.

The evangelist made the application to so many people today, whose outward appearances so often belie what is actually going on in their hearts.

Those who have heard the Rev. Rosoff have recognized his keen insight into the Bible, but he modestly refuses to take all the credit, giving much of the credit to his father, Albert Rosoff, because of his ability to read and interpret to his son the original Bible written in the Hebrew language, and which ministers of today proclaim to be much more beautifully written than any of the English versions. Members of the local Baptist church feel fortunate in being able to persuade these learned men to remain for another week to continue these valuable services.

Subjects for the coming week as announced by the evangelist are:

Monday night—"Speaking For Oneself"

Tuesday night—"He Who Lives By the Sword Shall Die by the Sword"

Wednesday night—"Gentlemen of the Jury"

Thursday night—"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"

Friday night—"Where Are Your Children?"

There will be no services on Saturday night, but on Sunday morning the subject will be "Why I'm a Baptist", and Sunday evening, the last service, "The Second Coming of Christ."

Services begin each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Tall Tales

As told to: ELMO FRANK E. and SCOTT HAGAN WATSON

The Colorado Cinder Beetle

WHEN the Santa Fe railroad was built into Colorado, its coming brought rejoicing to the residents of the rich Arkansas River valley. It meant an outlet for their crops and prosperity. But that lasted only a little while. Then disaster swept down upon them.

Every night a large section of the roadbed disappeared. Some thing was taking away the cinder ballast. Train schedules were disrupted and there were endless delays until the damage could be repaired. In several cases freight trains were wrecked or derailed.

Santa Fe officials were frantic, for no one could discover what was carrying away the ballast. Finally a newspaper man, Charley Blakesley of the Kansas City Star, suggested that possibly the Colorado cinder beetle was eating up the ballast and his surmise proved correct.

How to check the ravages of the insects was the next problem. That was solved when it was discovered that the cinders used for ballast were from soft coal. So hard coal cinders were substituted and the cinder beetles broke their jaws trying to eat them. For some time, it is said, passengers on the Santa Fe were kept awake at nights by the cinder beetles screaming with the pain of their broken jaws. So the railroad speeded up the schedules of their passenger trains. They now went so fast that the passengers heard the moaning of the broken-jawed cinder beetles merged into a symphony of sound, like the rustle of wind through pine trees, that quickly lulled them to sleep.

When a harder race of cinder beetles developed with jaws capable of eating hard coal cinders, the Santa Fe was ready for them. They began using crushed rock and since that time have had no trouble with the little pests.

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DR. DUNAWAY'S OFFICE TO BE AIR CONDITIONED

Dr. Howard A. Dunaway's patients will be cool while they are being treated this summer, for Dr. Dunaway has ordered a Frigidaire air conditioning machine for his consulting room. The conditioner is scheduled to be installed by Thursday, and after that, the room's temperature will be kept at about 76 degrees. Dr. W. M. Sidwell intends to have one installed later.

Strange Worm Found on Cabbage

A strange looking long, thin white worm was brought to town Saturday, Fay Cleveland, a negro woman living on Theodore Hopper's farm four miles north of here, found it in a cabbage Friday, and the next day, her father took it to Dr. Howard A. Dunaway for examination. The worm was submerged in water and still alive. It was about six inches long, but it did not resemble the larvae ordinarily found on cabbages. It is said to be poisonous.

Highway 25 Boosters to Meet

A meeting of road supporters of Missouri towns served by Highway 25 will be held in the Stoddard county courthouse at Bloomfield at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. H. G. Simpson of Charleston, Southeast Missouri's representative on the state highway commission, has been invited to attend. The session will be the first mass meeting of a Highway 25 association recently in towns from Crystal City south to the Arkansas line.

SIREN BUT NO FIRE

People who like to go to fires were disappointed Friday afternoon. The siren was sounded, but the truck didn't leave the garage driveway, where it was parked, and there were no flames. The noise started while Dick Tongate and a negro assistant were drying hose and polishing the truck after going to the A. W. Wylie house fire. Little Jack Carson climbed into the driver's seat, and in his play accidentally started the siren.

YOUNG ELLINGTON QUEEN

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COUNTY OFFICES

We are authorized to announce John Hobbs of Chaffee, for Sheriff of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Wade Anderson, of Commerce for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce William Oliver, of Chaffee, for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Killian Felter, of Illinois, as a candidate for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Lynn A. Ansell as a candidate for the office of assessor of Scott County, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce Arden Ellise, of Sikeston, for Coroner of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Bob Cannon, of Benton, for Assessor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce R. L. Harrison, of Benton, for Surveyor of Scott county, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce C. A. Clark, of Sikeston, for Constable of Richland Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary.

Over in the City Hall a young man who was one of a delegation with a project, admitted that he had always been a Republican but that since Mr. Roosevelt had already done so much for the laboring man, the mechanic and the farmer, that he believed he would rather vote for Mr. Roosevelt than take chances with Mr. Landon on a straddle platform, which showed the young man was mighty level headed.

We have been asked to write more editorial paragraphs which puts us in rather an embarrassing position as some we have already

Anniversary Special

Graham's Academy of Beauty Culture

For All This Week

We appreciate the business given us during the past year, therefore we are offering these Specials.

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With each \$2.50 or \$3.50 Permanent Wave we will give one extra wave for 1c.

You can get two permanent waves this week for only the price of one and 1 cent.

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written have not been forgotten nor forgiven. The fact is so many people believe some of the paragraphs are directed at them that it becomes necessary for some to down before another eruption takes place.

C. D. Matthews, Jr., and Murray Phillips attended the funeral of Gen. Rice A. Pierce, C. S. A., at Union City, Tenn., Sunday afternoon. The General was laid away in his Confederate uniform with all his medals and sword. But five Confederate Soldiers are alive in Obion County and they were present wearing the grey, one of them had to be carried by two men. One by one they answer the roll call.

C. A. Clark, of Sikeston, has announced for Constable of Richland Township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the August primary, and promises if nominated and elected that he will show no favoritism in carrying out the duties of the office.

The U. S. S. Melville, a Navy ship normally basing at San Diego, California, recently reported that on a cruise they passed a large number of snakes swimming about at sea, miles off-shore. These were sea-snakes, and are extremely poisonous. Doctor Dittmar, of the New York Zoo, states that their venom is about five times as poisonous as that of a rattlesnake.

SUCKER MONEY—AND THE BONUS

By Harry W. Riehl
General Manager, Better Business Bureau of St. Louis, Inc.

It was P. T. Barnum who made famous the word "sucker" throughout the American nation. Barnum's idea was that the public wanted to be tricked into paying him money for something which was not as represented.

Whether he was right or wrong is of no concern to us but the fact remains that the slick-tongued gentry who operate the hundred and one crooked schemes with which we come in contact have certainly used the "sucker" idea to build up a highly profitable business for themselves.

Whenever a washing machine salesman or an automobile salesman knows of someone who is in the market for an automobile and has the money to buy it, he calls that person a "prospect." You will notice that the main qualification of the prospect in the commercial world is that he must have money to spend. So it is with the racketeer and commercial swindler.

Whenever he finds anybody who has the money to lose, he is always quick to devise some tricky scheme to get the money away from him. The "prospect" of legitimate business is the "sucker" or "lily" to the racketeer.

Creating Sucker Lists—A Regular Business

There is a regular established traffic in "sucker lists." If a man ever took a flyer in any kind of speculative enterprise, he is branded as a "sucker," or "lily" as they are sometimes termed. Whenever the company in which he invested went broke, the promoters gathered in the stockholders lists, and combining them with others of similar nature, created a valuable list of persons who, by virtue of their investment in the previous speculative venture, qualified themselves as one who had the crap shooting instinct of trying to get "something for nothing."

A 110,000 Sucker List

Over 110,000 Missouri veterans will receive their bonuses about the middle of this month. This fact has been widely heralded to every crook in the country. What a magnificent sucker list—already organized and qualified. Certainly these men have the money—all the promoter has to do is to drag out one of his clever schemes, polish it up a bit, put on a few new jimeracks and exchange it for the veterans' bonus money.

Evidences of what is about to happen have already reached the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis. We have in our possession the advertised circular of a New York firm which offers to sell anybody who wants to buy a select list of Missouri bonus veterans at 5c per head. It is true, of course, that the veterans will be urged to

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Farm Loans, Long Times, Low Interest Rate. Correspondence Invited

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By Virtue and Authority of an Alias Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, rendered on the 18th day of November, 1935, in favor of The Little River Drainage District, a public corporation and against The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, Defendant, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934, together with interest, penalties, Attorney's Fee and costs for the sum of \$434.41 and costs of suit, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said property was ordered sold to satisfy the judgment and lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said Defendant, The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, of, in and to the following described property, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, Acres 38.00, Description SW NW, Section 13, Township 29, Range 12, Amount \$434.41.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendant of, in and to the hereinabove described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy the lien and the judgment of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of June, 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By Virtue and Authority of a Special Execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated the 6th day of June, 1936, and to me the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of Scott

County, Missouri, rendered on the 19th day of March, 1936, in favor of the Little River Drainage District, a public corporation, Plaintiff and against Leah Reef, Douglas H. ones Trustee for George McGahey and George McGahey, Defendants, for delinquent drainage taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934, for the sum of \$3,969.39, together with interest and costs and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendants, Leah Reef, Douglas H. Jones Trustee for George McGahey and George McGahey, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NW SW, Sec. 13, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$426.92

Tract No. 2, Acres 38.50, Description SW SW, Sec. 13, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$402.91

Tract No. 3, Acres 35.00, Description SW SW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$352.20

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description NW NW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$426.92

Tract No. 5, Acres 38.00, Description SE NW, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$398.65

Tract No. 6, Acres 38.50, Description NE NW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$404.52

Tract No. 7, Acres 40.00, Description NW NW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25

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Tract No. 9, Acres 40.00, Description NW SW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25

Tract No. 10, Acres 40.00, Description SW SW, Sec. 14, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25

Total tax, interest and penalties, \$3,969.39.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

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ROAD WORK

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals, addressed to The State Highway Commission of Missouri, Jefferson City, Missouri, and endorsed "Proposal for constructing (or improving) Route 60, Project WPMH-5B, Scott County," will be received by the Commission, acting as agent for the United States Government, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the 25th day of June 1936, at the office of the Commission in the State Highway Building at Jefferson City, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes: Grading, and widening the existing pavement with cement-bound macadam, together with any incidental work, on Malone Avenue (Route 60) in the City of Sikeston, the total length of the improvement being 0.630 mile.

Plans and specifications may be inspected in the offices of the Commission at Jefferson City, or the Division Engineer at Sikeston, Missouri. Complete instructions to bidders and proposal blanks may be obtained at the Jefferson City office.

Proposals must be on forms provided. The right is reserved by the State Highway Commission to reject any or all bids.

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The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract, and to the use of Domestic Materials.

The minimum wage paid to all labor employed on this contract shall be as follows: Skilled Labor 60c per hour; Intermediate Labor 40c per hour; Unskilled Labor 30c per hour.

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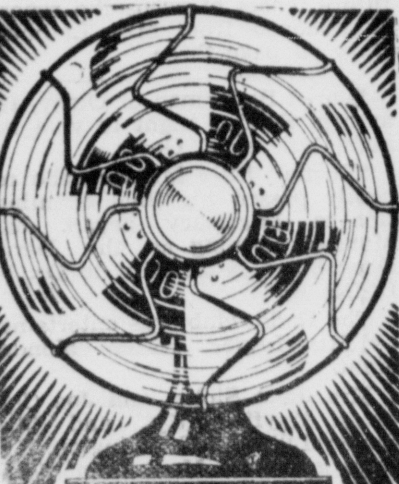
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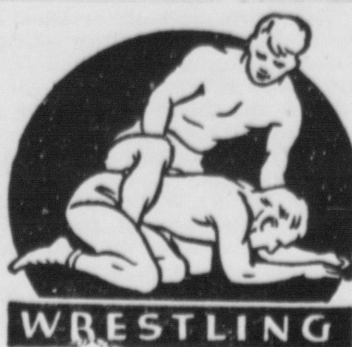


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OPEN AIR ARENA

Opposite City Hall—Sikeston

Tuesday, June 16

At 8:15 P. M.

WILD BILL RUSH

Nashville—Weight 196

vs.

MORRIS

BLOOMFIELD

A California Jew—Wt. 189

OLE OLSEN

Minnesota—Wt. 186

vs.

JIMMY KNOX

Carthage—Wt. 195

Best 2 out of 3 falls
90 minutes time

Mike Meroney, Referee

Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Nelson Bradshaw, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 19, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$270.59.

Tract No. 2, Acres 20.00, Description E 1/2 SE NE, Sec. 19, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$144.31.

Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$414.90.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given That I will on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon on that day, and during the session of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the said defendant, of, in and to the hereinafter described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1936.

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Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendant, Clement C. Williams, of, in and to the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description NE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description NW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 3, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 4, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$380.71.

Tract No. 5, Acres 38.50, Description NE NW, Sec. 29, Twp. 28, Range 12, Amount \$400.80.

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Total Tax, Interest and Penalties, \$3,126.04.

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Now, Therefore, in obedience to the command of said Special Execution, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of said defendants, Wm. J. Slinkard, R. E. Bailey, Trustee for the Receiver of First National Bank of Chaffee and R. L. Bradley, Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, for delinquent Drainage Taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 for the sum of \$711.99 together with interest and costs, and which said judgment was declared a Special Lien upon the hereinafter described property and said lien was ordered foreclosed and said real estate sold to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the Plaintiff.

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Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

Receiver of the First National Bank of Chaffee, of, in and to the following described real estate lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:-

Tract No. 1, Acres 40.00, Description SW NE, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$384.25.

Tract No. 2, Acres 40.00, Description SE NE, Sec. 23, Twp. 29, Range 12, Amount \$327.74.

Total Taxes, Interest and Penalties, \$711.99.

And, Notice Is Hereby Given, That I will on Monday the 10th of August, 1936, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of said Circuit Court, at the East Front Door of the Courthouse in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendants, of, in and to the hereinabove described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy the judgment and the lien of the plaintiff together with interest and costs.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 8th day of June, 1936.

JOE ANDERSON,
Sheriff, Scott County, Mo.

GEN. RICE A. PIERCE DIES IN TENNESSEE

Union City, Tenn., June 12.—Gen. Rice A. Pierce, prominent Tennessee attorney and past commander of the United Confederate Veterans, was found dead in bed at his home here today. He was 89 years old.

Gen. Pierce, who was an officer in the Confederate army in the Civil War, retired as head of the veterans' organization last spring, on account of ill health.

Two sons survive, Thomas M. Pierce, general counsel of the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis, and Rice A. Pierce, Jr., of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Co., also of St. Louis.

The funeral will be held here Sunday afternoon.

Malone Letting To Be June 25

Bids for paving a ten-foot strip of Malone avenue from Prairie avenue to the Frisco tracks will be opened at a meeting of the Missouri state highway commission in Jefferson City June 25. Malone is to be widened on the North side with cement bound macadam. Highway employees will direct WPA workers hired for the project.

C. L. Blanton, Jr., left Sunday for Jefferson City to see Matthew S. Murray, state WPA administrator. He will return today.

TANNER DYE AT CAMP

Captain Tanner C. Dye will spend this week at a national guard officers' field training encampment at Camp Clark near Nevada. The camp opened Monday and will close Saturday. The regular encampment for Missouri National Guardsmen will be held early in August this year.

20,000 Roman Coins Unearthed

Dorchester, England, June 12.—More than 20,000 Roman coins, probably the largest collection of ancient money ever discovered in Britain, were unearthed here by workmen and taken to Dorset Museum. Experts say they probably were buried during a period of civil war in Roman England.

Plant Potatoes About June 20

Potatoes for winter storage should be planted late enough that blooming will not take place during the hot, dry days of July and August, yet early enough to mature before frost, according to County Agent F. B. Veatch, Jr. Potatoes planted about June 20 will mature by frost and will keep in storage much better than those planted early in the spring. The best varieties to plant for winter storage are Peach Blow, McCormick, and Green Mountain.

129 File Income Tax Returns

A dispatch from Washington said that 129 Sikeston residents filed individual income tax returns for 1934. A total of 487 filed returns in Cape Girardeau; 226 in Poplar Bluff; 116 in Caruthersville; 62 in Charleston; 49 in Jackson; 84 in Kennett; 45 in Dexter; 104 in DeSoto; 97 in Bonne Terre; 87 in Farmington; 68 in Perryville; and 67 in Ste. Genevieve.

WHITE FAMILY HOLDS REUNION AT BERTRAND

Charleston, June 15.—On Sunday, at the Methodist church in Bertrand, a reunion of the descendants of pioneer citizens of that community was held.

Bertrand has always been noted as a town whose citizens have been promoters of a good church and school, and today they have an unusually fine brick church for such a small town. The church was organized in the year 1870, but the first building was dedicated in the year 1882. The program for the reunion began at 10:30 a. m., with Chairman F. Pitt White of Bertrand in charge. The speakers included the Rev. Alfred Smith of Nashville, Tenn., president and manager of the of the Methodist Publishing Company of the Southern Methodist church, who delivered the sermon; John Gaty of Bertrand, who delivered the address of welcome; and the Rev. Standerfer Crow of Duncan, Oklahoma, who gave the response. Others who gave brief talks on their memories of early days were Ed Deal of Charleston, William H. Danforth of St. Louis, the Rev. William Humphries of Cape Girardeau, the Rev. Clarence Burton of Boone Terre, Mo., and R. C. White of St. Louis, assistant general manager of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

The musical program was directed by Moray Gaty of Bertrand, and the program was rendered by Mrs. J. C. Brown (contralto) of Atlanta, Ga., (a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt White); Mrs. E. H. Orear (soprano); Mrs. J. L. Priester (contralto), both of Sikeston; Moray Gaty (tenor) of Bertrand, and Moffat Latimer (baritone) of Charleston. Mrs. A. J. Rushing of Bertrand presided at the organ. Mrs. Moffat Latimer of Charleston rendered the offertory organ solo. Each one taking part on the program formerly lived in the community with the exception of Mrs. Orear and Mr. Latimer.

Several hundred people attended, including about forty members of the White family.

THE FUTURE

Our dreams may be high and mighty. But, here is something about getting down to brass tacks. We learn the future from the past. From what has happened to other men, we logically conclude to what will happen to us. A certain statistician has worked out the following prognostication:

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CHARLESTON TO HOLD WATERMELON FESTIVAL

A first annual Mississippi county watermelon festival will be held in Charleston August 26.

Five Southeast Missouri bands have been asked to attend, and the Charleston Junior Chamber of Commerce, which will help sponsor the festival, is arranging for a queen to preside, concessions, and prize exhibits of many crops from farms throughout the county. A meeting of district farmers will be held in Charleston earlier in the month.

In 1934, Charleston was the largest carlot shipping point for melons in the United States, sending 1039 cars to markets and about 160 truckloads. Last year, the

heaviest acreage on record was planted, but severe rains in June damaged the crop. Twenty-five hundred acres are planted this year and prospects are good. The season will probably open about July 25.

Since it is generally agreed that Jesus preached his first sermon in the Capernaum synagog, Aramaic inscriptions recently found on stones among synagog ruins at Capernaum add further proof that Aramaic was probably the language spoken by Jesus instead of Hebrew or the two other tongues in use in Palestine at that time. Aramaic, experts say, has come down through the centuries unchanged.—The Pathfinder.

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Willie Carter, 86 years of age, black and a crippled called at The Standard office Friday afternoon to find out just who were the presidential candidates to be voted for in the November election. He stated that he voted for Mr. Roosevelt last time and was undecided who to vote for the next time. He acknowledged that Mr. Roosevelt had fed him and his folks during the trying times following the Hoover administration and didn't know what would happen if Mr. Landon was elected. We informed Willie that the Republicans were so opposed to the spend-thrift ways of Mr. Roosevelt that he would likely be put back in slavery until he could work out the amount of relief help that he had received. And there you are.

The bunch of hogs among the half dozen cabins on Dr. Water's lot in Ward one give off an odor in that part of town that is anything but satisfying. This is unhealthy, draws flies and is against the peace and dignity of the ordinance. But what are a few hogs in town between friends.

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CROP CONDITIONS HIGHER IN SCOTT THAN IN 1935

The June 1 condition of hay, oats, winter wheat, and pastures in Scott county are far above those of last year and generally higher than the state average, a report just issued by E. A. Logan, senior agricultural statistician for Missouri, shows.

The condition of winter wheat in the county for June has been reported at 70 per cent normal, compared with 55 per cent in 1935 and 61 per cent for the 1929-33 average. The June condition of oats is 68 per cent, compared with 52 per cent for June, 1935. Tame hay is 71 per cent, compared with 52 per cent for the same time last year. Pastures are 79 per cent against 82 for June, 1935, and the condition of apples is given as 44 per cent for June 1, 1936.

The June 1, 1936, winter wheat condition for Mississippi county is 87, compared with 63 for 1935 and 69 for the five-year average. The condition of oats is reported to be 75; tame hay, 78, compared with 75; and pastures, 67 compared with 77. New Madrid county has a winter wheat condition for June 1 of 87, compared to 68 last year and 79 during the 1929-33 period. Its oats condition is 73 against 55 for 1935; tame hay, 79 compared with 62; and pastures, 73 compared with 56 for last year. The condition of apples is 50 per cent.

Columbia, Mo., June 13.—According to reports received from farmers by the division of crop and livestock estimates, winter wheat on June 1, 1936, shows a condition of 69 per cent, compared with the May 1, 1936, condition of 72 per cent and the June 1, 1935, condition of 82 per cent. This indicates a yield of 13 bushels from 1,884,000 harvested acres, a total production of 24,492,000 bushels. Lowest conditions are reported from the east-central, central, and south-central districts, with the best conditions from the northern third of the state. In some northern counties the condition is in the nineties, and in several central districts, as low as 43 per cent.

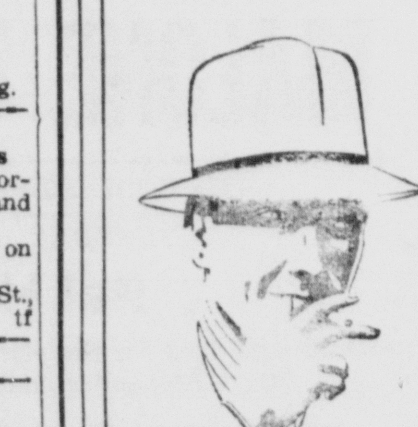
Oats show a condition of 57 per cent, compared to 84 a year ago. The northwestern and north-central districts appear to be in the best shape, with very low conditions reported across the east-central, central, and south-central districts.

Pastures are 72 per cent, compared to 64 as of May 1, 1936, with an increase reported from the north and west but a sharp drop in the south-central, east-central, and southeast and about stationary in the central district. Rain is badly needed in many sections of the state, particularly in the Ozarks.

Hay condition of 63 is a decline from 69 a month ago and 79 a year ago, with the sharpest drops occurring in the east-central, central, and south-central districts, an improvement in the northwest, and relatively less important changes over the balance of the state. Alfalfa shows the best condition of the hay crops, particularly in the northwest, where the acreage is the heaviest. Clover, timothy, and parrie follow the conditions as shown by tame hay.

Rye condition is 77 per cent the same as of May 1, 1935, and is more uniform throughout the state than the balance of the crops. Barley, with a condition of 63 per cent, shows about this condition.

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in the districts containing the greatest acreage.

Fruit reflects very unfavorable growing condition through the winter and spring, with peaches, pears, and cherries practically a failure and a very low condition of 25 per cent in apples and a condition somewhat below this figure in the districts of heaviest acreage.

Milk production per cow in herd of 11.8 pounds as of June 1 is an increase from 11.2 in May but a decline from a year ago, and the percentage of cows milked also shows a decline from last June.

The percentage of laying hens in flocks, 51 per cent, is about the same as the five-year average, 1929-33, as of June 1 and slightly higher than any subsequent year. The number of chickens per farm, however, is below the five-year average and below any subsequent year as of this date.

Labor employed on farms during the month shows a 7 per cent increase over May 1, 1936, with generally an adequate labor supply, although other projects have absorbed some farm labor at prices difficult for farmers to pay.

The month of May has been one of the driest on record, with an average precipitation from twenty-five stations of only 1.92 inches with an average for May from 1900 to 1929 of 4.59 inches and only four years in the entire period from 1900 reporting less rainfall during May. Temperatures from the same stations show an average for the past month of 69.2 as compared with the 1900-29 average for May of 64.1 degrees.

PROGRAM FOR DEMOCRATIC RALLY AT BLUFF OUTLINED

A state-wide rally of young Democrats at Poplar Bluff July 11 will open with a barbecue or plate lunch at the fairgrounds, party leaders have decided.

A prominent Missouri Democrat will speak early in the afternoon, and afterward, persons attending will participate in an automobile parade through the bluff streets. Governor (Happy) Chandler will speak at an evening session in the courthouse square, and later, dances will be held at the Casino Club and at Big Duggie's Inn.

Major Lloyd C. Stark of Louisiana, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, and Governor Guy B. Park will be present.

MISS KATHRYN ELBERT WEDS ADVANCE TEACHER

Charleston, June 12.—A very quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday at 1 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick in Charleston, when their daughter, Miss Kathryn Elbert, was united in marriage to Clarence Harper Edwards of Troy, Mo. Beautiful magnolias, larkspur, and daisies were used in decoration of an improvised altar, arranged in the living room of the home.

The Rev. C. P. Thogmorton, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, using the ring ceremony. Only close relatives witnessed the ceremony.

For the occasion the bride wore an afternoon gown of white lace, with which she wore pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Following the ceremony the bride and groom departed for St. Louis, where they spent a few days before going to Troy, for the summer.

The bride is a member of a very prominent family. She was reared in Charleston and graduated from the Charleston public school. The past two years she attended the Southeast Missouri state teachers' college at Cape Girardeau, and in May she received a sixty-hour certificate.

The bridegroom was reared in Troy, and graduated from the Troy high school. He later attended the Southeast Missouri state Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau four years, and in May, 1935, received his degree. The past year he was a member of the faculty of public school of Advance, and will teach there again this coming fall and winter.

DEMOCRATIC SWEEP PREDICTED BY STARK

Jefferson City, Mo., July 11.—Maj. Lloyd C. Stark, Democrat gubernatorial candidate, predicted tonight Missouri would go overwhelmingly Democratic at the fall general election whether Gov. Alf M. Landon or someone else was nominated as the Republican presidential candidate.

Completing a swing through the northwestern part of the state, Stark stopped at his campaign headquarters here tonight to say Landon, should he be nominated at Cleveland, would have little influence on the Missouri political picture.

"There's a feeling Landon is satisfactory to the reactionary high command of the G. O. P. or else his candidacy would have been stopped long ago," the gubernatorial candidate declared.

Then Stark added he had found his party better organized for the coming campaign "than ever before."

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HE MAKES HIS LIVING BY LAUGHING—Charles Zeldner, Brighton, England, runs what is known as a palace of laughter. He can make anyone laugh, even the most miserable person as he has been doing this daily for 14 years. He has gained 70 pounds since he started to make 2,000,000 people laugh who have visited his palace.



Four winners in the bathing beauty contest held at the Marin County Striped Bass Carnival. They are all telling stories to the four striped bass, each weighing 9 and 10 pounds, which won the striped bass prizes.

THANKS TO ROBIN HOOD—This season's millinery is endowed with a dashing quality. Marsh Hunt, screen star, selects a brown felt model with a ridged crown and a colorful quill which is thrust boldly through one side of the turned up brim.

fore within my recollection." "If the election were held next week," he said, "Missouri would roll up a Democratic majority comparable to the landslide victories of 1932 and 1934."

TALLIPOOSA CLUB FINISHES

The 4-H club at Tallipoosa finished its work with an achievement day program, at which time Miss Anne Sillers, home demonstration agent, presented achievement pins to Selma Cole, president, Audrey Lumley, vice-president, Kathleen Jaynes, secretary, Vivian Love, song leader, Gertrude Osburn, reporter, Ethel Beck, Dorothy Abshier, Mildred Lorse, Della Blair, Ethel Atchley, and Eva Mae Barrett.

These girls have done an outstanding piece of work. They learned to identify fifteen trees native to Missouri and made note books, mounting leaves, and twigs and drawings of the seeds in books and listing uses of wood from these trees. Miss Pauline Melburn was leader. The name of the club was Forest Friends.

MISS GENEVA JONES TO WED CHARLES PINNELL

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Geneva Jones to Charles Pinnell, Jr.

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school. He now works as an engineer at the city light plant.

FHA INSURED 239 NOTES IN COUNTY THRU APRIL

The federal housing administration notes in Scott county through April 30, 1936, for a total of \$85,914, according to a report made public today by Robert K. Ryland, state director of the national emergency council. These loans, according to Ryland, are made for the most part by firms in the community which in turn are insured against loss by the FHA. The modernization loans are made under Title 1 of the national housing act for the repair, improvement, or modernization of real property. Under Title 2 of the act, the FHA accepted 21 mortgages for insurance in Scott county through March 31, for a total of \$52,240, according to Ryland. Under this title, the FHA is authorized to insure first mortgage loans made by approved lending institutions.

In the state as a whole, according to the report, 30,519 modernization notes had been insured by FHA through April 30 for a total of \$9,253,012. Mortgages accepted for insurance in the state number 2,472 for a total of \$10,621,227.

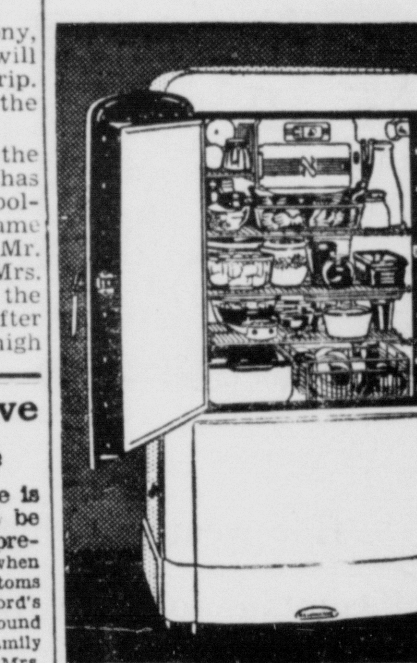
Richard S. Hawes, Jr., of St. Louis is the state director of FHA, and district offices are located in both St. Louis and Kansas City.

THE SECRET MARRIAGE OF LOUELLA BOARDMAN TO JOHN McMULLIN REVEALED

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Louella Boardman, a daughter of Mrs. Lulu Guess, to John McMullin, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McMullin.

The ceremony was performed by Justice W. C. Eilbracht at Waterloo, Ill., on Saturday, February 22, and kept secret until last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cutrell, a brother-in-law and sister of the bride, and Miss Lavina Boardman, also sister of the bride, were attendants. Mr. and Mrs. McMullin returned to Sikeston the following Monday after spending Sunday in St. Louis. They are now at home at 521 Kathleen avenue.

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Mrs. McMullin attended school here and is now employed at the International shoe factory. Mr. McMullin attended the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau for a year after his graduation from the Sikeston high school. He is associated with the division ten offices of the state highway department.

BIG SNAKE SWALLOWED A DOZEN HEN EGGS

Mrs. Lon Graves of the Cornwall, Madison county community, discovered a large blacksnake while gathering eggs and killed it. She noticed the eggs were short of the usual number and Mr. Graves cut the snake open for curiosity and found that it had swallowed ten or twelve of the eggs. The snake was six feet long.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all persons who helped me Friday morning when my home and negro cabin caught fire. I am especially grateful to neighbors for their kindnesses and assistance and to members of the fire department for their quick response and for their competent work.

Mrs. A. W. Wylie

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3 BUILDINGS DAMAGED AFTER STOVE EXPLOSION

A negro cabin behind the A. W. Wylie residence, 604 North Kingshighway, was ruined by fire and the Wylie garage and home were damaged when a stove exploded in the cabin at 6:30 Friday morning.

The cabin and all articles in it were destroyed before firemen could extinguish the flames, but they were able to check blazes that burned the north end of the garage and the east side of the house. The three buildings are situated close together.

Mrs. A. W. Wylie was sleeping alone in the second floor of the house at the time the fire started and did not awaken until after firemen had arrived. The M. S. Tomerlines, who occupy an apartment on the first floor, were not at home.

No one was injured in the fire, but Mrs. Wylie had a narrow escape. She left the house in a bathrobe and was unable to return to her rooms for clothing. Flames ate through the back porch and the walls and burned one table. Other articles were water damaged, and asbestos shingles on the roof were scorched. The loss on the house was covered by insurance.

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Israel Is No More

WHEN Jeroboam II died, the era of order and prosperity came to a swift end. The empire crumbled away, and the Hebrews were left with only their strip of hill country along the Jordan. Jeroboam's son, Zechariah, reigned but six months before he was killed. His assassin, a man named Shallum, reigned only one month before he, too, was murdered. The new usurper, Menahem, managed to hold on to the throne several years, but his reign was marked by continuous strife.

A devouring enemy, Assyria, was striding westward from Mesopotamia, and Israel lay helpless in its path. Assyria had been threatening to swallow up Palestine for some time past, but not until now was the act accomplished. A particularly able and energetic king, Tiglath-Pileser IV, came to the throne of Assyria in 754 B. C. and seven years later he marched over and invaded Israel. Menahem was in no position to offer assistance and hastened to pay the Assyrian an enormous tribute. Tiglath-Pileser then withdrew, but four years later he was back again.

A new king had arisen in Israel, a militant man named Pekah, who dared to attempt to throw off the Assyrian yoke. Allying himself with Rezin, the king of Damascus, he called on Judah to join in the revolt. But Ahaz, the king of Judah, refused, whereupon Pekah and Rezin invaded his realm.

Ahaz, thoroughly terrified, called to Tiglath-Pileser for help, and the latter responded with alacrity. The Assyrian came storming down on Israel, annexed all the east Jordan region and all of what was later called Galilee, and carried off tens of thousands of Israelites into slavery. Damascus, the other rebel, he crushed completely, absorbing the whole kingdom. Of course Judah was spared, but only at the price of vassalage.

In Israel there was an immediate uprising against the king who had brought such trouble to his land. Pekah was swiftly put out of the way, and a new king, Hoshea, was seated on the throne. The favor of Assyria was purchased at a price of an annual tribute, and there was peace for the moment.

But as soon as Tiglath-Pileser of Assyria died, Hoshea decided to rebel. Supported by Egypt, which was exceedingly anxious to create a buffer state between itself and Assyria, Hoshea refused to pay the annual tribute. Forthwith the new king of Assyria, Shalmaneser IV, swept down on Israel and took Hoshea prisoner. Not content with this, however, Shalmaneser continued on and laid siege to Samaria. He was determined to crush the kingdom thoroughly and thus put an end forever to all trouble from that quarter.

But Samaria was not easily captured. Thanks to Omri's military astuteness in choosing its site, the city was able to hold out for three long years. Shalmaneser died before it fell, and it was left for his son, Sargon II, to complete the conquest. Finally, late in the year 722 B. C., Samaria capitulated, and the kingdom of Israel came to an end. The best element in the defeated population was deported to prevent the possibility of insurrection.

The wealthiest and most powerful of the Israelites were taken captive by Sargon and settled in northern Mesopotamia and Media. Only the humblest of the Israelites, the peasants and slaves, were left at home, for these showed little promise of ever attempting rebellion. To help them till the valleys and populate the market towns of Israel, foreign colonists from northern Syria and Babylonia were brought in by Sargon. And thus the kingdom of Israel came to an end.

Assyria Triumphant

ACCORDING to tradition the kingdom of Israel consisted of 10 of the original tribes, and with the legend of the Lost Ten Tribes began. It was imagined that the Israelites marched out of their land in one great body and then lost themselves in a far romantic land. Many an explorer coming across some "strange people in Central America, or Japan, or Abyssinia, has rushed forth to declare that the

Lost Ten Tribes have been found again.

But no explorer really found them, and no explorer ever will. Those tribes did not wander off together to any distant land, but simply dwindled out of existence right where they were set down by the Assyrians. Many of the Israelites may have escaped from the exile and joined the other two tribes of Hebrews, but quite clearly most of them simply merged with the races dwelling in Assyria and Media, and there faded out of history's picture.

A similar fate met all the other small nations of the ancient Orient—all, that is, except Judah. Sargon did not go on from Samaria and seek to destroy Jerusalem too. Though he wiped out the northern kingdom, he spared Judah, for it had paid tribute faithfully. Thus the story of the Chosen People now becomes the story of its two southern tribes—really of its one tribe, Judah, for Simeon had by now largely merged with the Edomites in the desert. That is why from here on we no longer refer to the Chosen People as Israelites, or Hebrews, but as Judeans, or Jews.

The destruction of Israel was a warning to Judah, and for a while the little kingdom accepted Assyrian domination without a murmur. But such docility could not be maintained for long. Judah was too far from the seat of Assyrian power, and too near to Egypt, to be able to keep out of trouble forever. It lay like a tiny grain between two great millstones, and no matter which way it rolled it could not keep from being crushed.

Egypt agitated without rest among the little nations at the western end of the Assyrian empire. And Jerusalem, being the chief stronghold in that region, was necessarily the focus of the agitation. Thither came the conspirators from Phoenicia, Moab, Edom, and Philistia to hearken to the envoys from Egypt, and then the orders for the insurrection were sent around.

In the first uprising, however, Judah still refrained from overt action. Not until 705, when the great Sargon was assassinated and the Assyrian Empire seemed about to crumble, did Judah show signs of rebellion. The new emperor, Sennacherib, was too busy crushing his enemies in the East to attend to Judah immediately.

But four years later, after the East had been thoroughly subdued, Sennacherib gathered his army and thundered over the West. He began with the Phoenician cities and then swiftly swept southward, pillaging and burning as he went. There was terror throughout the region, and Edom and Moab hurriedly sent their submission. Judah, however, made no move, trusting to Egypt to stay Sennacherib's march.

But when at last Egypt did send an army against the Assyrians, it was ignominiously defeated. And then real panic broke loose in Judah. Sennacherib had routed the Egyptians at Eltekeh, on the southern border of Philistia, but instead of pushing on toward the Nile, he doubled in his tracks and had begun to march toward Jerusalem. One Judean city after another went up in flames as Sennacherib's army pressed on into the hills. With feverish haste Jerusalem was put into state of defense, but when the Assyrians actually appeared before the walls no resistance was offered. The king emptied his treasury, stripped his palace, even took off the gold from the doors and pillars in the temple, and sent it all to Sennacherib as a peace offering. And in return Sennacherib spared Jerusalem and allowed the poor bankrupt Jewish king to retain his crown.

Use of Yeast

Yeast is such an essential constituent of bread that it is difficult to realize that it is a comparative innovation—that man ate wheaten loaves for thousands of generations before anybody thought about it. The use of yeast was one of the trade secrets of Paris bakers about 250 years ago, the bread chemists explain. There was a big scandal when the secret leaked out. The bakers were accused of poisoning the public. The College of Physicians of Paris went on record opposing yeast-leavened bread on the ground that it was not wholesome.

Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bradley of Desloge returned to their home Sunday evening after visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts. Mrs. Bradley was a week end guest here and Mr. Bradley came Sunday morning.

Entire stock of "Spring" Hats at one half of the original price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear nose and throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday. Glasses fitted. Mrs. W. W. Kingsbury and her son, Jere of Caruthersville and William, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sikes. At the conclusion of her visit here, Mrs. Kingsbury, who is the mother of Mrs. Sikes, will go to Caruthersville to reside with her son, Jere Kingsbury.

Mrs. Richard Lewis and sons, Dickie and Bobbie returned to their home in Jackson Saturday afternoon after a weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clymer and family. Mrs. Clymer and her daughters, Miss Margaret and Miss Hita accompanied them and returned that evening.

Mrs. Ella Hutton returned to Charleston Sunday after a visit with Mrs. H. L. Smith here. Mrs. Charles Williams and two sons of St. Louis were guests of here sister, Mrs. R. H. Wagner last week. Friday, Mrs. Wagner and her children accompanied their guests to Lutesville to visit other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Schermund, of St. Louis were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Clark. Janet Ann Clark accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Ellise and granddaughter, Patsy, were in Nashville, Tenn., from Thursday until Saturday, while Mr. Ellise attended the annual National Conference of School superintendents in session there.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Elkins and son Bill, of Oklahoma City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Moccabee Friday, and visited over the week end in Bertrand with Mrs. Elkins relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Elkins are former residents of Sikeston.

Phil Waldman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Waldman, left Thursday of last week for Cictoria, Mo., to spend the summer with his uncle, Dr. A. Luh.

M. C. Cunningham of Desloge was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dover. He was accompanied home Sunday evening by Mrs. Cunningham who had spent the week here.

Mrs. Herman Mattingly entertained three tables of guests at bridge Thursday afternoon in her home on North Ranney. Mrs. Ryland Short and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Jackson were out-of-town guests.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Indianapolis and Caruthers Anthony of Anderson, Ind., arrived Monday to visit their brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony. They were accompanied by Miss Margaret Grey Anthony who had visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Anthony, in Anderson, the past week.

Mrs. Chas. H. French and her son, Charles, went to Jefferson City, Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith. They accompanied C. L. Blanton, Jr., who will return to Sikeston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Henry have as their guests, Mrs. Henry's mother, Mrs. E. W. Plater and Mrs. Byron Spear and daughter of Carbondale, Ill. They arrived Friday.

Mrs. Arden Ellise will entertain her bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Ranney. Mrs. W. C. Bowman, Mrs. Eula Bowman Shanks, Mrs. Lee Bowman and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh were guests of Mrs. Robert Drum in Advance, Friday.

Joe Allen left Saturday morning for St. Joseph, Mo., to spend a few days before going to Camp Cheley, Estes Park, Colo., where he will spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Self and their son left Monday morning for their home in Flint, Mich., after visiting a week here with Mr. Self's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self.

Presbyterian Ladies To Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hutters, Monday night at 8 o'clock. A good attendance will be appreciated.

Reunion Of Self Family Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self were hosts at a family reunion Sunday at their home on North Kings-highway. Their guests were a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Self and their son, John Herschell, of Flint, Mich., a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Powell of Luxora, Ark., and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean McClurkin of Blytheville, Ark.

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Members of Congress have processed considerable perturbation over the rumored existence of a new British gun capable of hurling a projectile that will pierce twelve-inch armor plate at a distance up to fifty miles. Such a shell, it is feared, would render even the biggest super-dread-nought highly vulnerable.

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Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.
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6/15/36

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On June 5th your men connected our new seven foot Master Frigidaire with an electric meter to determine the exact cost of operation. During the ten day period we have used this Frigidaire in the regular way, filling it with such food as required refrigeration, defrosting regularly etc. and on removing the meter today find we used 16 KW. At the low rate of 2½c per KW the cost per month is \$1.20.

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Yours truly,
Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Old.

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Our buyer gets a "break"—therefore our customers also get a "break" for the next few weeks. By a mere accident we procured a quantity of highly decorated 32 piece dinner sets. Instead of the plain ones we have been giving away for several months we will, as long as these last, send one of these beautiful sets with a delivery of \$50.00 or more purchased at one time. They are really double value. None given on Frigidaire or Philco's.

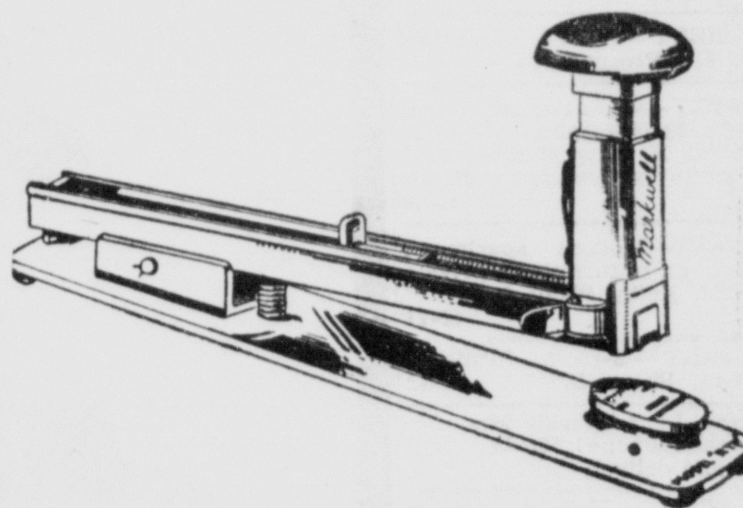
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In Sikeston

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

From Last Week
Mrs. Francis Keller of Harrisonville, Mo., spent from Tuesday until Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Clyston Knuckles.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fletcher entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner Sunday, complimentary to their grandson, Dicky Thompson, who then celebrated his 5th birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children, Mrs. Owen Johnson and daughter, Lois, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and daughter.

Relatives from Caruthersville and Steele visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and family, Sunday.

Zelma Kem spent Sunday afternoon with Margaret and Mildred Croso.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bohannon and family of Sikeston spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moll of Sikeston spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Parson.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Dalton and family of Lilbourn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirmam Baker and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Decker and family.

Mary Bohannon of Pharis Ridge spent Monday night and Tuesday with Zelma Kem.

Willie Gruin and Mr. and Mrs. Ragon Harris were Canolou visitors Sunday morning.

Laren and Evelyn Porter spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Eleanor Knuckles and daughter and Hershell Knuckles.

Louise and Edsel Kem spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bohannon and children.

Among those who shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Heary Newman, Mrs. M. L. Viar and children, Mrs. Owen Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children, Mrs. John Croso and daughters, G. L. Bohannon, Louis Kem and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Benford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Troxell and children, Cecil Link, Mrs. Geo. Hemling, Mrs. Richard Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Croso and daughters, Jessie Baker and Louis Decker.



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FOR RENT—Dwelling, unfurnished or partially furnished; also apartment, furnished or unfurnished. See T. A. Slack. 11-75

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LOST—At swimming pool, Swiss watch, plain white gold case, gray suede band. Reward. Return to Harry Dover, 310 North St. 11-75

During the present calendar year eighteen naval vessels now under construction will be launched including the nine destroyers, 1500 and 1850 tons each, two aircraft carriers of 19,900 tons each, three 10,000 ton light cruisers armed with six-inch guns and one heavy 10,000 ton cruiser carrying eight-inch guns and three submarines of 1,330 tons each.

GRAND MATRON OF O. E. S. TO MAKE OFFICIAL VISIT

Mrs. Ida D. Daly of St. Louis, worthy grand matron of the Missouri Order of the Eastern Star, will be here Thursday, June 25, for an official visit to chapters of the fifth O. E. S. district. She will be accompanied by William A. Maxwell of St. Joseph, worthy grand patron of the lodge, and by other grand officers.

Mrs. Daly and members of her party will be honor guests at a banquet to be held in the Marshall hotel dining room at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. A meeting will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. O. L. Spencer, of Benton is district deputy grand matron of the O. E. S. and Mrs. Cleo Cooper of Chaffee is grand warder. The fifth district is composed of fourteen chapters in Scott and Mississippi counties and in parts

MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

Franklin Becomes The Seat of Howard County

With its atmosphere of southern hospitality, fine old farms, culture and wealth, no county in Missouri looks back upon a more distinguished history than Howard county. For here in the heart of the Boone's Lick country, to which it gave the name, were laid the proud beginnings of Central Missouri history.

"Old Mother Howard," as the county has been called because of the fact that from it have been carved all or part of 40 to 43 counties in Missouri and Iowa, was created in 1816, was the seventh Missouri county to be organized, and was named for Benjamin Howard, first governor of Missouri Territory. The county was reduced to its present size by an act of 1820.

In 1807 the sons of Daniel Boone made salt at Boone's Lick in the southern part of the county near the river and reported the fine country that existed in central Missouri. In 1810 a number of pioneers of Stoddard and New Madrid counties.

er families led by Benjamin Cooper invaded the Indian country and settled near the "Licks."

During the War of 1812, Howard county pioneers, taking refuge in forts, wrote one of the bravest chapters in early Missouri history. After the war the tide of immigration from Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, and the Carolinas almost exceeded belief.

Franklin, laid out in 1816 opposite present-day Boonville, by December, 1819, boasted a population of more than 1,000. Here, on June 16, 1816, was located the county seat. In 1819 was established the Missouri Intelligencer, Missouri's first newspaper west of St. Louis and, in 1821, occurred Becknell's famous Santa Fe expedition. As the location of the U. S. land office, the outfitting point of the Santa Fe trade, the end of the Boone's Lick trail, and as a center of culture and wealth, Franklin enjoys a special niche in early Missouri history.

At Glasgow, the successor to Chariton, fortunes were accumulated in the 40s, 50s, and 60s, and after the Civil War from agriculture, fine livestock, mules the first mules known to Missouri were a product of the Santa Fe

trade), tobacco, exporting, importing, and steamboating. Families of culture and wealth founded churches and supported schools. Pritchett School Institute, Morrison Observatory, and Lewis College became centers of culture in Missouri.

Fayette, which was made the county seat in 1823, was a political power and educational center. Here Howard High School, known over the State, during the fifties became the largest school in Missouri outside St. Louis. Failure of the county to secure the State University in 1839 only redoubled the efforts for the school's advancement until today it has become Central College.

Mount Pleasant Baptist church, organized in 1812 near Franklin, was the mother church of that denomination in Central Missouri. Much of the history of the Methodist, Christian, and Presbyterian churches also centers in Howard.

In the Mormon, Florida, and Mexican wars the county was outstanding for its men and leaders who included Gen. John B. Clark. During the Civil war, Howard county rallied to the cause of the South. Though no large battles were fought, the most important being the engagement at Glasgow on October 15, 1864, in no county in Missouri were the issues more vitally or dramatically felt—its close to 6,000 blacks places it second in slave population. Prior to the war, Fayette, as the so-called "Cradle" of the powerful "Cen-

tral Clique," was the Democratic stronghold of Central Missouri which defeated Thomas H. Benton.

In the 80s and 90s, after the failure of the county to realize its expectations from its \$750,000 subscription to railroads, came a decline in the county's commercial and political power. In 1878, construction was commenced on the splendid steel bridge of the C. & A. railroad at Glasgow—an engineering triumph and the first all-steel truss bridge in the world. In 1922, the county voted the bonds for the present "free" bridge at Glasgow.

Though stripped of its former glory as a commercial and political center, Howard County today maintains high rank as an educational and agricultural county. Livestock raising is a leading industry and outstanding crops are tobacco, corn, wheat and hay.

Great men, schools, homes, and fine livestock have been said to be the county's leading products. Among the first, few whose names are linked with the history of the county are Governors Reynolds, Jackson, and Miller, Admiral Uriel Sebree, Judges Abiel Leonard, J. H. Birch, Mathias McGirk, George Tompkins, W. B. Napton, and J. F. Ryland, and C. W. and H. S. Pritchett, W. T. Davis, and W. T. Lucky, teachers and scholars

Farmington Man Appointed Receiver For Eight Banks

Jefferson City, June 11.—Lyman

A. Matthews of Farmington was appointed liquidator of eight closed Missouri banks, including the Sturdivant Bank at Cape Girardeau, by the State Finance Department today to succeed John A. Ferguson of Cape Girardeau.

Matthews was appointed receiver of the banks after Ferguson resigned to accept an appointment as a member of the State Public Service Commission.

Other closed banks to be liquidated by Matthews are the Bank of Caruthersville at Caruthersville,

Bloomfield Bank & Trust Co. of Bloomfield, the Farmers' Bank of Essex, the Citizens' State Bank of Puxico, the Williamsville State Bank of Williamsville and the Bank of Cooter at Cooter.

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